INTRODUCTION

Part A:
How This Project Began

This project began as an attempt to update, clarify and correct the history of the Lett family. My research goal has been to indentify the original Lett ancestor and share information among all branches of the Lett family tree.

Originally, I was given a brief sketch of the family history written by Drury Green Lett (1844-1924), which listed names of Lett ancestors, but very little on the exact dates or locations of the events that shaped the lives of the people he mentioned. This sketch was in the possession of Thomas E. Lett Sr. of Henderson, KY., and in my correspondence with several relatives, this brief sketch has been circulated among several Lett families across the United States.

As a Christmas present to Mr. Lett, I planned to put together a small family history for him and his family. But as I began to research the Lett family, I found that there were many different Lett families who had lost contact with one another over the years. The project has developed far beyond its original intentions, and now includes several Lett families that I have not yet been able to connect to the Lett line of Thomas E. Lett.

The original sketch by Drury Green Lett turned out to be very accurate, but as to this date the actual original Lett immigrant has yet to be found. The search continues as more people become interested in the project.

Part B:
Origin of the Lett Surname

According to the Drury Lett sketch, the original spelling was "DeLett", with the "De" eventually being dropped.

In Hanks and Hodges' A Dictionary of Surnames, the Lett name is said to have English origins, deriving from a medieval female name, the short form of Lettice, which itself derived from the Latin "Laettica", meaning happiness or gaiety.

Another tradition has the Lett family as Hugenouts (French Protestants) who immigrated to the United States to Virginia. Research has proven that there were Letts in Virginia in the mid 1600's, which gives some credence to this tradition.

There is also the fact that people from Latvia are called Letts.

Joye Lett Quinn, of Stone Mountian GA, has found records of the Lett family in England as far back as 1066 with William the Conqueror. No connection between the Letts of the United States and the Letts of England has yet been found.

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Joseph Lett was born circa 1745 in Virginia, probably in the area which is now Mecklenburg Co., VA. He died in 1808 in Mecklenburg Co., VA., and his will is filed there, although his estate was being settled nearly thirty years after his death.

Joseph married Faithy Hubbard, daughter of Matthew Hubbard of Sussex Co., VA., circa 1770. Faithy was born circa 1745 and died circa 1840 in Virginia.

Joseph may have been previously married to a woman anmed Nance, as a Daniel Nance refers to Joseph as his son-in-law in deed records, and Joseph's eldest son was named Nance.

Joseph inventoried the will of John Short in 1798 in Mecklenburg Co., VA., who was probably the father of his son in law, Bartholomew Short.

Joseph Lett is listed as a colonial soldier of Mecklenburg Co., VA. He is listed as having served in Capt. Buckner's Company of Col. Stephen's Regiment on April 8, 1780. He also was appointed Surveyor of Roads for Mecklenburg Co. on April 10, 1783 in place of Edward Waller. This service qualifies his descendants for membership in the Sons and Daughters of the American Revolution, but as of this date, none have been granted membership.

Children of Joseph and Faithy (Hubbard) Lett:

i. Patsy Lett, m. Batte [Bartholomew?] Short.

ii. Nance Lett, b. 1764 VA., d. after 1850 Wayne Co., VA., m. Mary Catherine Phillips

iii. Joseph Lett, b. circa 1780, d. circa 1852, m. Polly Jeffries Burnett

iv. Hardaway Lett, b. circa 1780, d. 1852, m. Mary A. Burton

v. Pennington Lett, b. circa 1780, d. circa 1847, m. Frances Pennington

vi. Polley Lett, b. circa 1783, m. Matthew Davis

vii. Edward Lett, b. circa 1785, d. 1862, m. Elizabeth Edwards Crook

viii. Janie Lett, b. circa 1787, m. Charles Hutcherson

ix. Drury Lett, b. July 25, 1790 Mecklenburg Co., VA, d. February 1, 1857 Muhlenberg Co., KY., m. Mary Polly Simmons

x. Dolley Lett, b. circa 1793, m. Daniel W. McDaniel

LAND RECORDS

Mecklenburg Co. VA Deed Book 3, p. 421 [1772] John Lett to Joseph Lett (see chapter 9)

Mecklenburg Co. VA Deed Book 6, p. 33 [1780] Daniel Nance to Joseph Lett

Mecklenburg Co. VA Deed Book 7, p. 127 [1787] Joseph & Faithy Lett to Richard Jones

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1790 Mecklenburg Co., VA. (Reconstructed from tax lists)
Joseph Lett, 7 whites, 2 blacks

1820 Mecklenburg Co., VA.
1 female born 1804-1794
1 female born 1775-1794
1 female born before 1775 FAITHY LETT

WILL OF JOSEPH LETT
Mecklenburg Co., VA Will Book 6, pp 98-99.

In the Name of God, Amen. I, **Joseph Lett**, of the County of Mecklenburg and State of Virginia, being in perfect health and of sound mind and memory, calling to mind the mortality of my body and the uncertainty of human life do make and ordain this my last will and testament in manner and form following (viz)

Item. It is my will and desire that all my Just Debts shall be paid.

Item. I lend to my loving wife **Faithy Lett** during her natural life one tract of land that I purchased of **Benjamin Waller** containing one hundred acres be the same more or less, five negroes: Charles, Daniel, Fanny, Hannah and Bettey, two choice feather beds and furniture, two choice horses out bridle and saddle, six pewter plates, two pewter Dishes, four pewter ---, one Iron Pott, one Dutch oven, one frying pan, four choice Cows & Calfs, ten fatt hogs, two Sows and pigs, four ewes and lambs, thirty barrells of Sound corn and fodder Sufficant to winter her Stock, also six Chairs, one Chest, ten --- and one Table.

Item. I give to each of my three sons: **Hardaway, Pennington** and **Edward Lett** one feather bed and furniture each, which makes them equal with my Children that hath married and left me.

Item. I give to each of my three children: **Drury, Jiney** and **Dolley Lett** one horse a piece each to the value of twenty pounds with a briddle and Saddle to each, also one bed and furniture to each which makes them equal to my before mentioned Children.

Item. It is my will and desire that **Bartholomew Short** who married my daughter shall have all the property he received with my said daughter, which I hope will Satisfy him, as I do obstensively direct that its all and every Shilling he shall ever have or receive of my estate by Gift or otherwise.

Item. I give unto **Betsey Hardaway Short** one negro Girl by the name of Nelly to her and her heirs forever.

Item. It is my will and desire and I do hereby Order and direct that all the residue of my estate both real and personal not given away or lent shall be sold at my death and Credit of twelve months also the estate both real and personal left my wife at her death shall be sold on the same Credit and the proceeds equally divided between my following Children (except **Nance Lett** who is to receive fifty Dollars less than the rest of the Children hereafter named): the said **Nance Lett, Joseph Lett, Hardaway Lett, Pennington Lett, Polley Davis, Edward Lett, Drury Lett, Jinney Lett and Dolley Lett** to them and their heirs forever.

Item. I give and bequeath unto my Sons **Hardaway, Pennington, Edward & Drury Lett** also my Daughters **Jiney and Dolley Lett,** one Cow and Calf a peace which was omitted in the before mentioned legacy to make their proportions equal.

Lastly, I constitute and appoint my three sons **Joseph, Hardaway and Pennington Lett** my executors to this my last will and testament, revoking and disannuling all wills theretofore made by me.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this third day of May 1807. **Joseph Lett**, his mark.

In presence of : **Thomas Burnett, Joseph Hutcheson, Matthew Walker**

At a Court Held for Mecklenburg County, the 11 day of July 1808

This will was proved by the oaths of **Thomas Burnett and Matthew Walker** witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded and on the motion of **Joseph Lett, Junior**, one of the executors therein named, who made oath thereto and together with **Matthew A. Davis, Matthew Burnett, Richard Burnett and Thomas Burnett**, his securities, entered into and acknowledged their bond in the penalty of fifty thousand Dollars conditioned as the law directs, certificate was granted him for obtaining a probate of the said will in due form, Liberty being reserved for the other executors therein named to Join in the probate when they shall think fit.

William Baskerville.

Brunswick Co. VA. Deed Book 3, p. 442 [1772]

This Indenture made this Eleventh day of July in the year of our Lord Christ one thousand seven hundred and Seventy Two between **John Lett** of the County of Brunswick of the one part, and **Joseph Lett** of the same County of the other part, witnesseth that the said **John Lett** for and in consideration of the sum of five pounds Current money, to him in hand paid by the said **Joseph Lett** the Receipt whereof he doth hereby acknowledge and himself therewith full and -- truly satisfied hath granted bargained sold aliened Released and Confirmed and by these presents for himself and his heirs doth grant bargain sell alien release and confirm unto the said **Joseph Lett** his heirs and assigns for ever, one Tract or parcell of Land containing one hundred and thirty seven Acres more or Less lying and being in the County of Mecklenburg on the head of -- of Holmes fork of Miles Creek part of which was purchased by the said **John Lett** of **Francis Lett** and was granted to the said **Francis Lett** by Letters of patent bearing the Date August the sixteenth day one Thousand Seven Hundred and fifty six and bounded as Followeth. (viz.) beginning at a white oak on Watson's former line thence up the South side of a branch thence across the fork of the said branch to a white oak, thence along a line of marked --- to white oak on Whittimore's line thence along his line to a black jack in a Meadow thence Down a branch to Watsons former corner white oak thence along a line of marked Trees to the beginning with all houses orchards gardens Fences Woods and underwoods waters and water courses thereon standing growing and living with all profits --, advantages and appurtenances whatsoever to the same belonging or anyways appertaining and also the Reversion and Reversions Remainder and Remainders thereof and every part and parcell thereof to have and to hold the said Land and furniture with those and every of those Appurtenances unto the said **Joseph Lett** to his heirs and Assigns forever and the said **John Lett** for himself and his heirs doth Covenant Grant and agree to and assigns that -- they shall and may at all times hereafter Peacible and Quietly hold and enjoy the said granted Land and Premises with all their Appurtenances free from all former sales, gifts mortgages rights of Dower or any other Incumbrances whatsoever and he the said **John Lett** and his heirs shall and will warrant and forever defend the said granted Land and priviledges, with the Appurtenances unto the said **Joseph Lett** his heirs and Assigns forever against all other person or persons whatsoever that shall lay any claim thereunto and further that the said **John Lett** and his heirs shall and will at any time within the space of Twenty Years at the costs and Charge of him the said **Joseph Lett** his heirs and Assigns make do and execute all such further writ or Deed for the better Conveying their Granted Land and premises as he the said **Joseph Lett** his heirs or assigns shall advise or Require. In Witnesses whereof the aforesaid **John Lett** hath

hereunto set his hand and affixed his seal this eleventh day of July one thousand seven hundred and seventy two.

John Lett, his mark

Signed Sealed and Delivery
in presence of:
Thomas Nance
Anne Nance
Thomas Winfield

Note: I believe that this one document is the key to the parentage of Joseph Lett Sr. John Lett, whose will was filed in Brunswick Co., VA., does not mention any sons. This could be because he had already given them their share of his estate. I believe that John Lett was the father of Joseph Lett Sr., and that Francis Lett was the father of John Lett. See Chapter 8 for more evidence on this. Also note that the surnames of Winfield and Nance are intermingled with the Lett families of Brunswick and Mecklenburg Cos., VA.

Mecklenburg Co., VA. Deed Book 6, p. 33.

This indenture made this 19th day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty between **Daniel Nance** of the County of Mecklenburg of the one part and **Joseph Lett** son-in-law of the said **Daniel** of the other part Witnesseth that the said **Daniel Nance** for and in consideration of the natural love and affection which he beareth to his said son in law and to comply with a certain contract of marriage and likewise for the further consideration of twenty thousands pounds lawful money of the State of Virginia to him in hand paid by the said **Joseph Lett** at and before the sealing and delivery of these presents doth give grant sell and deliver to the said **Joseph** his heirs and assigns forever one negro Man slave aged twenty six or seven years or thereabouts called and known by the name of Charles to have and to hold the said negro Charles to the said **Joseph Lett** his heirs and assigns to the only proper use and behoof of the said **Joseph** his heirs and assigns forever and the said **Daniel** for himself and his heirs executors and administrators doth covenant and grant to and with the said **Joseph** his heirs and assigns that the said **Daniel** the said negro Charles against him the **Daniel** and all persons claiming by from or under him to the said **Joseph** and heirs and assigns forever Warrant and defend. In Witness Whereof the said **Daniel** hath hereunto set his hand and affixed his seal the day and year first above written.

Daniel Nance

Sealed and delivered in presence of:
Matthew Turner
William Ladd
John Brown

Mecklenburg Co., VA Will Book 6

An appraisement of the estate of **Joseph Lett** Deceased made agreeable to an order of the worshippful Court of Mecklenburg hereunto annexed as follows:

	Negroes ± S P
Charles	50
Daniel	90
Fanny	75
Juda	80
Kizy	70
Sucky	85
Nancy	90
Becky	80
Isham	75
Hannah	60
Patience	40
Buck	70
Moses	55
Hampton	40
Aaron	40
Mourning	30
Jacob	30
Abram	25
Nelly	20
Rose	10
Isaac	10
Jack	15
Mary	20
Jim	10
Jenny	8
Matilda	10
Betty	36
Total:	1224

	Horses		
6 Head of Horses	46	00	00
11 Head of Cattle	12	00	00
Cart & Steers	15	00	00
17 Head Hogs	7	14	04
6 Head of Fat Hogs	5	8	00
120 Barrels Corn	48	00	00
Blade & Top Fodder	3	12	00
66 Bushells Oats	4	19	00
6 Head Geese	00	6	00
Plantation utensils	8	00	16
Kitchen furniture	6	1	6
Reap Hooks	00	5	00
Gun	1	00	10

Flax hackle	00	10	00
Household furniture	39	15	6
Slate etc.	00	5	00
Towels etc.	00	8	00
Totals:	1433	2	4

Samuel Simmons
Carvil Jackson
Benjamin Beeks

This Inventory and Appraisement was returned into Mecklenburg County Court the 13th day of February 1809 and Ordered to be recorded. W. Baskerville, clerk.

Mecklenburg Co., VA. Will Book 13

Joseph Lett exec. of **Joseph Lett** dec'd.: In a court called (in part) with his estate:

1833 Oct. 12	For amount sales of negroes	$2503.75
	For balance due the exec.	$ 6.00¼
		$2509.75¼
1832 Oct. 12	By this amount paid **Nance Lett**	$ 264.28¼
	" " " paid **Hardaway Lett**	$ 264.28½
	" " " paid **Drury Lett**	$ 264.28½
	" " " paid **Drury Lett**	$ 264.28½
	" " " paid **Charles Hutcheson**	$ 264.28½
	" " " paid **Pennington Lett**	$ 264.28½
	" " " paid **Edward Lett**	$ 264.28½
	" " " paid **Drury Lett**	$ 264.28½
	" " " paid **Drury Lett**	$ 4.50
	" " " paid **Woodson V. Johnson**	$ 1.50
	This amount which is amount of proportion	$2120.28
	The sale of negroes	$ 264.28½
		$2384.56½
	5 percent comm. on the amount sales	$ 125.18 3/4
		$2509.75¼
	By balance due the exec.	$ 6.00¼

We the undersigned commissioners have stated, settled and adjusted the foregoing account current of **Joseph Lett** dec'd: and do find the sum of six dollars as above stated due the executor all of which is respectfully submitted. Given under our hands this 12th day of December 1834.

Robert F. Bridgeforth
Samuel Simmons
James Holmes

At a court held for Mecklenburg County on the 19th day of January 1835. The foregoing account current, of the estate of **Joseph Lett** dec'd was this day entered into court by the commissioners appointed to -- the same, and at another court held for the said county on the 16th day of March 1835 the same having been returned two months and no exceptions taken thereto is confirmed and ordered to be recorded.

Mecklenburg Co., VA. Will Book 14

An account of the sale of property belonging to the estate of **Joseph Lett** dec'd. made the 26th of Dec. 1836 by **Joseph Lett** exec.

Drury Lett	Tract of land 100 acres	$501.00
James S. Mays	Sam a negro man	$1170.00
James G. Richardson	Dick a negro man	$1171.00
Drury Lett	Mary a negro woman	$1000.00
James G. Richardson	Edmund a negro boy	$800.00
Hardaway Lett	1 bed & furniture	$ 25.00
Joseph Lett	1 chest	$ 4.00
James S. Mays	1 spinning wheel	$ 1.00
Samuel Symons	1 flax wheel	$ .50
Pennington Lett	one ladies saddle	$ .37½
		$4672.87½

Joseph Lett exec.
of **Joseph Lett** dec'd.

At a court held for Mecklenburg County at the court house thereof on the 21st day of August 1837.

The foregoing account of sales were received in open court and ordered to be recorded. Richard G. Baptist, clerk

Mecklenburg Co., VA. Will Book 14, p. 424

The Estate of **Joseph Lett Senr.** dec'd. In account with **Joseph Lett**, Executor.

Aug. 15 1837	To cash paid for recording sales	$ .54
Feb. 19 1838	" " " **W. V. Johnson** for copying	$ 3.00
		$ 3.54

26 Dec. 1837	The sum left in the hands of the executor for recording papers & other expenses	$20.00
	5 percent commission allowed the executor for his troubles on $4672.87½	$ 233.64
		$ 257.18
	To balance down & due the exec.	$4415.69½
		$4672.87½

26 Dec. 1837	To **Joseph Lett** for his proportion agreeable to the will of his father	$ 502.66
	To **Hardawy Lett** for same	$ 502.66
	To **Pennington Lett** for same	$ 502.66
	To **Edward Lett** for same	$ 502.66
	To **Polly Davis** for same	$ 502.66
	To **Drury Lett** for same	$ 502.66
	To **Drury Lett** in right of **Dolly Lett** who married **D.W. McDaniel**	$ 502.66
	To **Charles Hutcherson** in right of former wife, Jane, who died without heir & received no part of land money	$444.41
	To **Nance Lett** for same who receives fifty dollar less under the will	$ 452.66
		$ 4415.69

26 Dec. 1837 By amount of sale made the 26th day of December 1836 & due this day $ 4672.87½

By balance down & due from the executor on the 26th of December 1837 $ 4415.69½

Mecklenburg County Virginia July 4th 1838.

We the undersigned commissioners appointed by the County court of Mecklenburg, as per hereto --, have settled and adjusted the a/c current of **Joseph Lett** exec. of **Joseph Lett** Sen. dec'd and find the sum of forty four hundred and fifteen dollars and 69½ cents due from said exec. on the 26th day of December last, which sum we have divided between the --

-, according to the will of **Joseh Lett** Sen. dec'd and stands on the a/c as follows, due **Joseph Lett** $502.66, to **Hardaway Lett** $502.66, to **Pennington Lett** $502.66, to **Edward Lett** $502.66, to **Polly Davis** $502.66, to **Drury Lett** for himself and **Dolly McDaniel** $1005.32, bring $502.66 each, to **Charles Hutcheson**, in right of his wife (formerly **Jane Lett**) $444.41, to **Nance Lett**, $452.66, making the sum (as aforesaid) of forty four hundred and fifteen dollars 69 cents; that the commissioners are of the opinion, that the Executor should not be chargealbe to Interest on the amounts due the --- living out of this state or county until application is made for their proportions, all of which we respectfully submit to the county court of Mecklenburg.

Alex Dortch
Benjamin Reekes
Robert F. Bridgeforth

Mecklenburg County Court 19th Nov. 1838

The foregoing account current of **Joseph Lett** exec. of **Joseph Lett** dec. was this day returned into court by commissioners appointed to settle the same and at another court held for said county on the 21st day of January 1839 the same having been returned two months, and no exceptions taken thereto, is confirmed and ordered to be recorded.

R. G. Baptist, clerk

Joseph Lett, son of Joseph and Faithy (Hubbard) Lett, was born circa 1780 in Mecklenburg Co., VA. He lists his age as 71 in the 1850 Census. He died intestate circa 1852 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

Joseph married January 28, 1804 to Polly Jeffries Burnett, daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth (Jeffries) Burnett, in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

Children of Joseph and Polly Jeffries (Burnett) Lett:

i. Elizabeth A. Lett, b. 1808 VA, m. William Bowers

ii. Joseph A. Lett, b. February 4, 1810 Mecklenburg Co., VA, m. Jane C. Lett

iii. John C. Lett, b. circa 1818 Mecklenburg Co., VA.

iv. Sarah W. Lett, b. circa 1820 Mecklenburg Co., VA.

v. Faithy Lett, b. circa 1822 Mecklenburg Co., VA.

vi. Isabella S. Lett, b. circa 1823 Mecklenburg Co., VA., m. James Evans

vii. Parmelia G. Lett, b. circa 1823 VA, m. Green Curtis

viii. Angeline Lett, b. circa 1825 Mecklenburg Co., VA.

LAND RECORDS

Mecklenburg Co. VA Deek Book 14, p. 484 [1811] Joseph Lett etal, Bond to Commonwealth of Virginia

Mecklenburg Co. VA Deed Book 20, p. 50 [1822] John Daws estate to Joseph Lett

Mecklenburg Co. VA Deed Book 23, p. 25 [1827] Joseph Lett to John W. Lewis

Mecklenburg Co. VA Deed Book 23, p. 323 [1828] Joseph Lett to Samuel F. Jackson

Mecklenburg Co. VA Deed Book 23, p. 393 [1829] Joseph Lett to Thomas B. Lett

Mecklenburg Co. VA Deed Book 23, p. 394 [1829] Joseph Lett to Thomas B. Lett

Mecklenburg Co. VA Deed Book 24, p. 183 [1830] Joseph Jr. & Polly J. Lett to Waddy J. Jackson

Mecklenburg Co. VA Deed Book 25, p. 374 [1833] Thomas B. Lett to Joseph Lett

Mecklenburg Co. VA Deed Book 26, p. 105 [1834] Joseph Lett to John P. Smith

Mecklenburg Co. VA Deed Book 27, p. 75 [1836] Joseph Lett Jr. to Thomas B. Lett estate

Mecklenburg Co. VA Deed Book 27, p. 75 [1836] Joseph Lett Jr. to Joseph Lett Sr.

Mecklenburg Co. VA Deed Book 31, p. 493 [1845] Joseph Lett to Joseph A. Lett

Census Records

1820 Mecklenburg Co. VA
1 male born between 1804-1810

1 male born between 1804-1810
1 male born before 1775
1 female born between 1810-1820
1 female born between 1810-1820
1 female born between 1810-1820
1 female born between 1810-1820
1 female born between 1810-1820
1 female born between 1804-1810
1 female born between 1775-1794

1830 Mecklenburg Co. VA
male born between 1820-1825
male born between 1800-1810
male born between 1770-1780 JOSEPH LETT SR.
female born between 1820-1825 ISABELL LETT
female born between 1815-1820 SARAH LETT
female born between 1810-1815
female born between 1810-1815
female born between 1780-1790 POLLY LETT

1840 Mecklenburg Co. VA
male born between 1820-1825 JOHN LETT ?
male born between 1770-1780 JOSEPH LETT SR.
female born between 1810-1820 SARAH LETT ?
female born between 1800-1810
female born between 1800-1810
female born between 1780-1790 POLLY LETT

1850 Mecklenburg Co. VA
Joseph Lett, 71, b. 1779 VA
Sarah W. Lett, 30, b. 1820 VA
Isabella Lett, 27, b. 1823 VA

Mecklenburg Co., Va. Deed Book 20, p. 50

This Indenture made this Eleventh day of April 1822 between **Elizabeth Daws** Executirx of **John Daws** decd., **William Daws, Thomas Daws, Charles King** and **Mary** his wife, **Elizabeth Daws, John J. Daws, Rebecca Holmes** of the one part and **Joseph Lett** of the other part witnesseth that the said **Elizabeth Daws** Exec. of **John Daws** decd., **William Daws, Thomas Daws, Charles King** and **Mary** his wife, **Elizabeth Daws, John J. Daws, and Rebecca Holmes** for and in consideration of the sum of one hundred and fifty Dollards in hand paid by the said **Joseph Lett** before the sealing and delivery of this Indenture the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged have given granted bargained ans Sold and by these presents give grant bargain and sell -- and confirm unto the said **Joseph Lett** and his heirs forever one certain piece or parcel of land lying an being in the County of Mecklenburg it being part of the tract wheron the said **Elizabeth Daws** now lives and which tract belongs to the Estate of **John Daws** decd. Containing by late Survey fifty Acres and bounded as follows: (viz) beginning at a corner hickory on the road at A. thence down the road 87 poles to corner oak and poplar oak at B., thence a new line S 60 W 60 poles to new made corner pine pointed a C., thence E 36 W 80 poles to corner poplar and pointers on the branch at D. Thence up the branch as it measures to the head of the branch thence N 67 W 4 poles to pines at E. chopped fore & aft thence along a chopped line 105 poles to a corner hickory at F. thence N 77½ E 25 poles to the Beginning to have and to hold the said Tract or parcel of land together with all the appertenances of every kind thereunto belonging to the said **Joseph Lett** and his heirs forever to the only proper use and peaceable enforcement of him the said **Joseph Lett** and his heirs forever. And the said **Elizabeth Daws,** Executrix of **John Daws,** dec'd, **William Daws, Thomas Daws, Charles King** and **Mary** his wife, **Elizabeth Daws, John J. Daws and Rebecca Holmes** for themselves and their heirs do by these presents Covenant and agree with the said **Joseph Lett** to Warrant and forever defend the right and appurtenances thereunto belonging to him the said **Joseph Lett** and his heirs forever against the claim themselves and their heirs and every other person or persons whatsoever. In Witness thereof they have herunto set their hands and affixed their seals the day and year first written.

Signed Sealed & Deiverd in presence of:
William H. Holmes
William Holmes
Samuel Simmons, son of Sam.

Elizabeth Daws
Wm. Daws
Charles King
Mary King
Elizabeth Daws
John J. Daws
Rebecca Holmes

Mecklenburg Co. Va. Will Book 18, p. 493

The Estate of **Joseph Lett Sen.** dec'd. In Account with **Joseph A. Lett**, administrator

1854 Sep. 30	To cash paid **James W. Edmonson**	$ 3.98
	To cash paid **James W. Edmonson**	$ 1.50
	To cash paid **Joseph H. Lett**	$ 2.00
1854 Nov. 39	To cash paid **John W. Simmons**	$ 29.99
1853	TAX ACCOUNT	$ 2.53
1853 Mar. 2	Cash paid **Waddy J. Jackson**, bond	$ 95.45
May 2	Cash paid **Thomas L. Ryland**	$ 5.50
July 2	Cash paid **James Holmes**, adm.	$ 1.00
Aug. 22	Cash paid **R. B. Chappell**, 4 bonds	$148.40
Oct.	Cash paid **Peter E. Lett**	$ 1.00
Oct. 29	TAX TICKETS	$ 5.65
Nov. 17	Cash paid **John W. Simmons**	$ 31.44
Dec. 14	Cash paid **J. J. Daly**	$ 15.00
Dec. 14	Cash paid **Jos. A. Lett**, adm. bond	$254.97
Dec. 31	Cash paid Chappel & Hayes	$ .88
Dec. 31	Cash paid **J.J. Daly**, fee this report	$ 12.50
	Amt. left in hand of admin. to pay for recording this Report & other tickets	$ 4.00
	--- Coms. on Receipts	$ 42.65
	Balance per Contra	$175.65
		$853.91
1854 Sep.	By amt. money on hand at intestates death	$3.00
1855 Mar.	"" sales personal property due this day	$230.81
Nov. 21	"""" 78 acres of land sold under decree of the county court of Mecklenburg in the case of **Sarah Lett** -- vs. **Jos. Lett**, admin. and purchased by the adm. and due this day	$620.10
		$853.91

1856 Jane.	amount in hands of admin.	$195.65
	Which being divided among the distributies gives to:	
	Sarah Lett, her proportion 1/6	$ 32.61
	Wm. Bowers & Elizabeth, his wife	$ 32.61
	Green Curtis & Parmelia, his wife 1/6	$ 32.61
	James Evans & Isabella, his wife 1/6	$ 32.61
	Joseph A. Lett	$ 32.60
	John Lett	$ 32.61
	Total	$195.65

Elizabeth Ann Lett, daughter of Joseph and Polly Jeffries (Burnett) Lett Jr., was born circa 1808 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

Elizabeth married William Bowers on July 19, 1826 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

Children of William and Elizabeth Ann (Lett) Bowers:

i. Giles Bowers, b. circa 1832 VA
ii. Francis Bowers, b. circa 1835 VA
iii. Mary Bowers, b. circa 1838 VA
iv. Jane Bowers, b. circa 1839 VA
v. Arabella Bowers, b. circa 1841 VA
vi. Sarah Bowers, b. circa 1845 VA
vii. John Bowers, b. circa 1848 VA
vii. Thomas B. Bowers, b. 1835, m. Angeline F. Lett

CENSUS RECORDS

1830 Mecklenburg Co. VA
male born between 1825-1830
male born between 1800-1810 WILLIAM BOWERS
female born between 1800-1810 ELIZABETH (LETT) BOWERS

1840 Mecklenburg Co. VA
male born between 1835-1840
male born between 1835-1840 FRANCIS BOWERS
male born between 1830-1835 GILES BOWERS
male born between 1825-1830
male born between 1800-1810 WILLIAM BOWERS
female born between 1835-1840 MARY BOWERS
female born between 1835-1840 JANE BOWERS
female born between 1800-1810 ELIZABETH BOWERS

1850 Mecklenburg Co. VA
William Bowers, 45, Farmer, b. 1805 VA
Eliza A. Bowers, 42, b. 1808 VA
Giles Bowers, 18, b. 1832 VA
Francis Bowers, 15, b. 1835 VA
Mary Bowers, 12, b. 1838 VA
Jane Bowers, 11, b. 1839 VA
Arabella Bowers, 9, b. 1841 VA
Sarah Bowers, 5, b. 1845 VA
John Bowers, 2, b. 1848 VA

Joseph A. Lett, son of Joseph and Polly Jeffries (Burnett) Lett Jr., was born February 4, 1810 in Mecklenburg Co., VA. He and his wife are buried in the Cole Cemetery, RFD Baskerville, VA.

Joseph married Jane C. Lett, daughter of Pennington and Frances (Pennington) Lett, on February 20, 1837 in Mecklenburg Co.,VA. Jane was born circa 1810-1820 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

Children of Jospeh A. and Jane C. (Lett) Lett:

i. Mary F. Lett, b. 1838 VA., m. --- Bowers

ii. Martha J. Lett, b. 1838 VA., m. James B. Cole

iii. Caroline Lett, b. circa 1840 VA

iv. Thomas Lett, b. circa 1842 VA

v. John Henry Lett, b. November 6, 1844 Mecklenburg Co., VA., d. April 25, 1910 Baskerville, VA., m. Margaret Ingram Rolfe

vi. James E. Lett, b. 1848 VA

vii. Angelina F. Lett, b. circa 1850 VA., m. Thomas B. Bowers

viii. Joseph A. Lett, b. 1855 VA., d. before 1900, m. Mary E. "Mollie" Lett

ix. India S. Lett, b. January 3 1858 VA., d. August 13, 1928, m. Thaddeus E. Jones

LAND RECORDS

Mecklenburg Co. VA Deed Book 27, p. 75 [1836] Joseph Lett Sr. to Joseph Lett Jr.

Mecklenburg Co. VA Deed Book 31, p. 493 [1845] Joseph Lett to Joseph A. Lett

Mecklenburg Co. VA Deed Book 34, p. 138 [1853] Isaac B. Bowing etal to Joseph A. Lett

Mecklenburgh Co. VA Deed Book 34, p. 139 [1853] John Bing etal to Joseph A. Lett

Mecklenburg Co. VA Deed Book 35, p. 548 [1858] Joseph A. & Jane C. Lett to George Bing

Mecklenburg Co. VA Deed Book 37, p. 72 [1863] Joseph A. & Jane C. Lett to David H. Crowder

Mecklenburg Co. Va Deed Book 41, p. 345 [1877] Joseph A. Lett to James H. Bowers

Mecklenburg Co. VA Deed Book 42, p. 556 [1879] Joseph A. Lett to Martha J. Lett

Mecklenburg Co. VA Deed Book 42, p. 557 [1879] Sarah I. Lett to Joseph A. Lett

Mecklenburg Co. VA Deed Book 42, p. 557 [1879] Martha J. Lett to Joseph A. Lett

Mecklenburg Co. VA Deed Book 43, p. 325 [1881] Joseph A., Martha J. & Sarah I. Lett to John H. Lett

Mecklenburg Co. VA Deed Book 44, p. 498 [1883] W. C. Curtis etal to Joseph A. Lett

Mecklenburg Co. VA Deed Book 46, p. 76 [1885] Joseph A. & Mollie E. Lett to James H. Bowers

Mecklenburg Co. VA Deed Book 46, p. 459 [1886] E.M.C. Puryear to Joseph A. Lett

Mecklenburg Co. VA Deed Book 47, p. 430 [1888] J. A. & Mollie E. Lett to James Cole

Mecklenburg Co. VA Deed Book 50, p. 531 [1891] R.M. Hutcheson to Joseph A. Lett

Mecklenburg Co. VA Deed Book 55, p. 497 [1898] C.C. Redick etal to Mrs. J.A. Lett

Mary Lett, daughter of Joseph A. and Jane C. (Lett) Lett was born circa 1838 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

Mary married --- Bowers.

Martha Lett, daughter of Joseph A. and Jame C. (Lett) Lett, was born circa 1839 in Virginia.

Martha married James B. Cole on October 1, 1882 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

Caroline Lett, daughter of Joseph A. and Jane C. (Lett) Lett, was born circa 1840 in Virginia.

Martha married James B. Cole on October 1, 1882 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

Thomas Lett, son of Joseph A. and Jane C. (Lett) Lett, was born circa 1842 in Virginia.

John Henry Lett, son of Joseph A. and Jane C. (Lett) Lett, was born Novmeber 6, 1844 in Mecklenburg Co., VA., and died April 25, 1910 in Baskerville, Mecklenburg Co., VA.

John married Margaret Ingram Rolfe, daughter of Edward I. and Margaret (Puryear) ROlfe, on February 13, 1867. Margaret was born May 27, 1838 and died Januray 21, 1911 in Baskerville, Mecklenburg Co., VA.

Children of John Henry and Margaret Ingram (Rolfe) Lett:

i. Joseph Edward Lett, b. January 30, 1868 Mecklenburg Co., VA., d. June 29, 1953 Boydton, VA., m. Mattie W. Rolfe

ii. Thomas Shelburne Lett, b. September 16, 1869 VA., d. December 11, 1947 Weldon, N.C., m. Brelia Ann Cole

iii. Beulah L. Lett, b. January 27, 1872 VA, d. January 23, 1930, m. Mellie P. Walker

iv. Gertrude Witt Lett, b. August 30, 1874 VA., d. April 2, 1962 Richmond, VA., m. Charles A. Smiley

v. Maud Ingram Lett, b. September 17, 1877 VA., d. August 20, 1913 Mecklenburg Co., VA., m. Isaiah Albert Johnson

vi. John Henry Lett Jr., b. July 11, 1879 VA., d. October 5, 1931 Mecklenburg Co., VA., m. Mary Elizabeth Cole

vii. Luther William Lett, b. June 26, 1883 Baskerville, VA., d. February 20, 1958 Union Level, VA., m. Emma Iola Sculthorp.

Joseph Edward Lett, son of John Henry and Margaret Ingram (Rolfe) Lett, was born January 30, 1868 in Mecklenburg Co., VA., and died June 29, 1953 in Boydton, Mecklenburg Co., VA. He was buried on June 30, 1953 in the Presbyterian Church Cemetery in Boydton, VA.

Joseph married Mattie W. Rolfe, on March 5, 1893. Mattie was born in 1869 and died in 1921. She is buried in the Presbyterian Church Cemetery in Boydton, VA.

Joseph married secondly to Pearl B. Winn. Pearl was born February 7, 1898 in VA., and died February 8, 1964 in VA.

Children of Joseph Edward and Mattie W. (Rolfe) Lett:

i. Joseph Edward Lett Jr., b. May 3, 1905, d. December 26, 1977.

ii. Luther Earl Lett

iii. Roy O. Lett, b. 1906, d. 1916

Children of Joseph Edward and Pearl B. (Winn) Lett:

iv. Margaret Ann Lett, b. 1930, d. January 7, 1989 Victoria, VA., m. Gerald P. Estes.

Joseph Edward Lett Jr., son of Joseph Edward and Mattie W. (Rolfe) Lett, was born May 3, 1905, and died December 26, 1977.

Luther Earl Lett, son of Joseph Edward and Mattie W. (Rolfe) Lett, was born

Roy O. Lett, son of Joseph Edward and Mattie W. (Rolfe) Lett, was born in 1906 and died in 1916.

Margaret Ann Lett, daughter of Joseph Edward and Pearl B. (Winn) Lett, was born in 1930 and died January 7, 1989 in Victoria, Lunenburg Co., VA.

Margaret married Gerald P. Estes.

Thomas Shelburne Lett, son of John Henry and Margaret Ingram (Rolfe) Lett, was born September 16, 1869 and died December 11, 1947 in Weldon, Halifax Co., N.C.

Thomas married Brelia Ann Cole. Brelia was born in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

Thomas married secondly to Emma Eliza Ward.

Thomas married thirdly to Sarah Davis.

Children of Thomas Shelburne and Brelia Ann (Cole) Lett:

i. Bessie Lett, b. Octobber 23, 1894 Mecklenburg Co., VA., d. July 4, 1988, m. John M. Cersley

ii. Robert Bottley Lett, b. July 30, 1898 Baskerville, VA., d. February 4, 1985 Richmond, VA., m. Colonial Elizabeth Robertson

Children of Thomas Shelburne and Emma Eliza (Ward) Lett:

iii. Thomas Elmer Lett, d. 1965, m. Vertie Mae Crumpler

Children of Thomas Shelburne and Sarah (Davis) Lett:

iv. Maggie Lett, b. March 19, 1906 Mecklenburg Co., VA., d. November 27, 1994 N.C., m. Joe Crumpler

v. Jonny H. Lett

vi. Willie Lett, m. --- Shackleford

vii. Betty Lett, m. --- Hooker

Bessie Lett, daughter of Thomas Shelburne and Brelia Ann (Cole) Lett, was born October 23, 1894 in Mecklenburg Co., VA., and died July 4, 1968.

Bessie married John M. Cersley

Robert married Colonial Elizabeth Robertson on July 2, 1920 in Richmond, Henrico Co., VA.

Robert Bottley Lett, son of Thomas Shelburne and Brelia Ann (Cole) Lett, was born July 30, 1898 in Baskerville, Mecklenburg Co., VA., and died February 4, 1965 in Richmond, Henrico Co., VA.

Robert married Colonial Elizabeth Robertson on July 2, 1920 in Richmond, Henrico Co., VA.

Thomas Elmer Lett, son of Thomas Shelburne and Emma Elizabeth (Ward) Lett, was born in [illegible] and died in 1965.
Thomas married Vertie Mae Crumpler.

Maggie Lett, daughter of Thomas Shelburne and Sarah (Davis) Lett, was born March 19, 1906 in Mecklenburg Co., VA., and died November 27, 1994 in North Carolina.

Maggie married Joe Crumpler on March 20, 1926.

Jonny H. Lett, son of Thomas Shelburne and Sarah (Davis) Lett, was born

Willie Lett, daughter of Thomas Shelburne and Sarah (DAvis) Lett, was born

Betty Lett, daughter of Thomas Shelburne and Sarah (Davis) Lett, was born

Betty married --- Hooker.

Luther William Lett, son of John Henry and Margaret Ingram (Rolfe) Lett, was born June 26, 1883 in Mecklenburg Co.,Virginia.
Luther married Emma Iola Sculthorp.
Children of Luther William and Emma Iola (Sculthorp) Lett:
i. Emma Iverna Lett, m. Edward Reginald Thompson.

James Lett, son of Joseph A. and Jane C. (Lett) Lett, was born circa 1846 in Virginia.

Angelina Lett, daughter of Joseph A. and Jane C. (Lett) Lett, was born circa 1850 in Virginia.

John C. Lett, son of Joseph and Polly Jeffries (Burnett) Lett Jr., was born October 31, 1815 in Mecklenburg Co., VA., and died March 11, 1879 in Virginia.

John was still living in 1856 when he received a portion of his father's estate. He had apparently moved from Mecklenburg Co., at the time of the 1850 Census.

Sarah W. Lett, daughter of Joseph and Polly Jeffries (Burnett) Lett Jr., was born circa 1820 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

Sarah was unmarried in 1856 when she received a portion of her father's estate.

Faithy Lett, daughter of Joseph and Polly Jeffries (Burnett) Lett Jr., was born circa 1822 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

Faithy was not mentioned in her father's estate settlement in 1856, so she must have died young.

Isabell Lett, daughter of Joseph and Polly Jeffries (Burnett) Lett Jr., was born circa 1823 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

Isabell married James Evans October 5, 1854 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

Parmelia G. Lett, daughter of Joseph and Polly Jeffries (Burnett) Lett Jr., was born circa 1823 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

Parmelia married Green Curtis on January 27, 1837 in Mecklenburg Co., VA. Green was born circa 1824 in Virginia.

Parmelia received a portion of her father's estate in 1856.

Children of Green and Parmelia G. (Lett) Curtis:

i. Zachary Curtis, b. circa 1838 VA
ii. Charles Curtis, b. circa 1840 VA
iii. Cyrus Curtis, b. circa 1847 VA

CENSUS RECORDS

1840 Mecklenburg Co. VA
male born between 1835-1840 ZACHARY CURTIS
male born between 1835-1840 CHARLES CURTIS
male born between 1820-1830 GREEN CURTIS
female born between 1820-1830 PARMELIA G. (LETT) CURTIS

1850 Mecklenburg Co. VA
Green Curtis, 36, Overseer, b. 1824 VA
Parmelia Curtis, 37, b. 1823 VA
Zachary Curtis, 12, b. 1838 VA
Charles Curtis, 10, b. 1840 VA
Cyrus Curtis, 3, b. 1847 VA

Angeline Lett, daughter of Joseph and Polly Jeffries (Burnett) Lett Jr., was born circa 1825 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

Angeline was not mentioned in her father's estate settlement in 1856, so she must have died young.

Hardaway Lett, son of Joseph and Faithy (Hubbard) Lett, was born circa 1780 in Mecklenburg Co., VA., died 1852 in Mecklenburg Co., VA. His age is listed as 70 in the 1850 Census. His will was proved on June 1, 1852 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

Hardaway married Mary A. Burton on September 1, 1806 in Mecklenburg Co., VA. Mary was born circa 1773 in Virginia.

Children of Hardaway and Mary A. (Burton) Lett:

i. Faithy H. Lett, b. circa 1812, m. Chesley Curtis

ii. Peter Edward Lett, b. circa 1814, d. 1876 Mecklenburg Co., VA., m. Emma M.C. Fennell

iii. Joseph H. Lett, b. 1820, d. before June 1880 Mecklenburg Co., VA., m. Virginia Nancy Rolfe

iv. Drury H. Lett m. Elinor A. Tisdale

LAND RECORDS

Mecklenburg Co., VA. Deed Book 13, p. 371 Hardaway Lett to Thomas Johnson [1807]

Mecklenburg Co., VA. Deed Book 13, p. 372 Hardaway Lett to William Insco etal [1807]

Mecklenburg Co., VA. Deed Book 16, p. 279 Hardaway Lett to Edw. L. Tabb, Clerk (Tax Receipt) [1816]

Mecklenburg Co., VA. Deed Book 24, p. 97 Hardaway Lett to William Baskerville etal [1830]

Mecklenburg Co., VA. Deed Book 29, p. 493 Drury H. & Hardaway Lett , Bond to Commonwealth of VA. [1842]

Mecklenburg Co., VA. Deed Book 30, p. 276 Hardaway & Mary A. Lett to Chestly Curtis [1843]

Census Records

1820 Mecklenburg Co. VA
male born between 1810-1820 PETER E. LETT
male born between 1810-1820 JOSEPH H. LETT
male born between 1810-1820 DRURY H. LETT
male born between 1775-1794 HARDAWAY LETT
male born before 1775
female born between 1810-1820 FAITHY H. LETT
female born between 1775-1794 MARY A. LETT

1830 Mecklenburg Co. VA
male born between 1815-1820 JOSEPH H. LETT
male born between 1815-1820 DRURY H. LETT
male born between 1810-1815 PETER E. LETT
male born between 1780-1790 HARDAWAY LETT
female born between 1825-1830
female born between 1810-1815 FAITHY H. LETT
female born between 1770-1780 MARY A. LETT
female born between 1750-1760 FAITHY (HUBBARD) LETT ?

1840 Mecklenburg Co. VA

male born between 1780-1790 HARDAWAY LETT
female born between 1770-1780 MARY A. LETT

1850 Mecklenburg Co. VA
Hartwell Lett, 70, b. 1780 VA
Mary A. Lett, 77, b. 1763 VA
Peter E. Lett, 36, b. 1814 VA

WILL OF HARDAWAY LETT
Mecklenburg Co., VA Will Book 17, p. 450

In the name of God amen. I **Hardaway Lett** do make this my last will and Testament in manner and form following:

Item. It is my will and desire that after my death all my just debts and funeral expenses be ---.

Item 2nd. The remainder of any Estate real, personal and perishable I loan to my beloved wife during her natural life and , at her death my Landed Estate to be equally divided between my three sons **Peter E. Lett, Drury H. Lett and Joseph H. Lett** to them and their heirs forever, all the residue of any estate at the death of my beloved wife to be divided into four equal parts, one of which I give and bequeath to my son **Peter E. Lett,** one other part to my son **Drury H. Lett,** one other part to my son **Joseph H. Lett** to them and their heirs forever, one other part I loan to my daughter **Faitha H. Curtis** during her life and at her death it is my will and desire that the property loaned to be equally divided between the lawful issue of her body. But should it become -- lately necessary during the life time of my daughter that any portion of the land loaned to her should be sold for the support of herself and children, I hereby -- that the Court do sell such part thereof as may be though necessary.

Item. I appoint my son **Peter E. Lett** Excecutor to this my last will and Testament this first day of June 1852.

Hardaway Lett

Testators:
Charles Hutcheson
James Hayes Jr.
Green Curtis

Faithy H. Lett, daughter of Hardaway and Mary A. (Burton) Lett, was born circa 1812 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

Faithy married Chesley Curtis on March 13, 1833 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

Children of Chesley and Faithy H. (Lett) Curtis:

i. William Curtis, b. ca. 1835 VA.
ii. female Curtis, b. ca. 1835-1840 VA.
iii. Martha Curtis, b. ca. 1838 VA.
iv. James Curtis, b. ca. 1841 VA.
v. Benjamin Curtis, b. ca. 1844 VA.

CENSUS RECORDS

1840 Mecklenburg Co. VA
male born between 1830-1835 WILLIAM CURTIS
male born between 1800-1810 CHESLEY CURTIS
female born between 1835-1840 MARTHA CURTIS
female born between 1835-1840
female born between 1810-1820 FAITHY (LETT) CURTIS

1850 Mecklenburg Co. VA (w/Hardaway Lett family)
Tabitha Curtis, 38, b. 1812 VA
William Curtis, 15, Student, b. 1835 VA
Martha Curtis, 12, b. 1838 VA
James Curtis, 9, b. 1841 VA
Benjamin Curtis, 6, b. 1844 VA

Peter Edward Lett, son of Hardaway and Mary A. (Burton) Lett, was born circa 1814 in Mecklenburg Co., VA., and died 1876 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

Peter was a physician.

Peter married Emma M.C. Fennell, daughter of Benjamin and Eliza E.H. (Fennell) Fennell, on May 29, 1859 in Mecklenburg Co., VA. Emma married secondly to Hezekiah Puryear on January 5, 1879 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

Peter was named the executor of his father's estate in 1852.

Children of Peter Edward and Emma M.C. (Fennell) Lett:

i. Mary E. "Mollie" Lett, b. 1862 Mecklenburg Co., VA., m. Joseph A. Lett III.

ii. Imogene Lett, m. --- Queen.

Mary E. "Mollie" Lett, daughter of Peter Edward and Emma M.C. (Fennell) Lett, was born 1862 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

Mary married Joseph A. Lett III, son of Joseph A. and Jane C. (Lett) Lett, on January 14, 1877 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

Children of Joseph A. and Mary E. "Mollie" (Lett) Lett III:

i. Mattie Lett, b. April 1878 Buckhorn Dist., Mecklenburg Co., VA., m. George A. Moseley

ii. Lillie L. Lett, b. August 1882 Buckhorn Dist., Mecklenburg Co., VA., d. August 27, 1912

iii. Kissie May Lett, b. February 1888 Buckhorn Dist., Mecklenburg Co., VA., m. A.E. Amundsen.

iv. Lucy A. Lett

Imogene Lett, daughter of Peter Edward and Emma M.C. (Fennell) Lett, was born

Imogene married --- Queen.

Joseph H. Lett, son of Hardaway and Mary A. (Burton) Lett, was born circa 1819 in Mecklenburg Co., VA., and died before June 21, 1880 in Virginia.

Joseph married Virginia Nancy Rolfe, daughter of Col. Samuel D. and Susan Nancy (Stone) Rolfe, on November 4, 1844 in Mecklenburg Co., VA..

Joseph's occupation was that of a farmer. He was a Captain in the Confederate Army during the Civil War.

Children of Joseph H. and Virginia Nancy (Rolfe) Lett:

i. Alice A. Lett, b. 1846 Mecklenburg Co., VA.

ii. Frances Susan Lett, b. April 21, 1848 Baskerville, Mecklenburg Co., VA., d. May 25, 1926 Greensboro, Guilford Co., N.C., m. William Edward Rolfe

iii. Samuel Edward Lett, b. 1851 Mecklenburg Co., VA., d. 1933, m. Virginia A. Dortch

iv. Elizabeth "Bettie" Lett, b. 1853 Mecklenburg Co., VA., d. Baltimore, MD., m. Henry Childress

v. John William "Willie" Lett, b. 1858 Mecklenburg Co., VA., d. Buckhorn Dist., Mecklenburg Co., VA.

vi. Hannah Moore Lett, b. 1865 Mecklenburg Co., VA., d. December 31, 1935, m. John Elam

Alice A. Lett, daughter of Joseph H. and Virginia Nancy (Rolfe) Lett, was born 1846 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

Frances Susan Lett, daughter of Joseph H. and Virginia Nancy (Rolfe) Lett, was born April 21, 1848 in Baskerville, Mecklenburg Co., VA., and died May 25, 1926 in Greensboro, Guilford Co., N.C.

Frances married William Edward Rolfe, son of Edward I. and Margaret (Puryear) Rolfe, on December 22, 1875 in Mecklenburg Co., VA. William was born on August 6, 1822 in Mecklenburg Co., VA., and died August 1900 in Mecklenburg Co., VA. He was previously married to Ann Eliza Moss.

William served in the Confederate Army during the Civil War with the 3rd Regiment of the Virginia Cavalry.

Children of William Edward and Frances Susan (Lett) Rolfe:

i. Virginia Margaret "Jennie" Rolfe, b. October 12, 1876 Boydton, VA., d. June 21, 1970 Williamsburg, VA., m. Malcolm Watkins Smith

ii. Joseph Edward Rolfe, b. Boydton, VA., d. Malden, MA., m. Isabell Brown

iii. Frances Susan Rolfe, b. 1884 Boydton, VA., d. 1957 Greensboro, N.C., m. John True

Samuel Edward Lett, son of Joseph H. and Virginia Nancy (Rolfe) Lett, was born in 1851 in Baskerville, Mecklenburg Co., VA., and died in 1933 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

Samuel married Virginia A. Dortch, daughter of Samuel and A.E. (---) Dortch, on September 5, 1876 in Mecklenburg Co., VA. Virginia was born July 12, 1848 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.,and died February 14, 1928 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

Children of Samuel Edward and Virginia A. (Dortch) Lett:

i. William Gray Lett, b. October 6, 1883 Mecklenburg Co., VA., d. December 3, 1951 Mecklenburg Co., VA., m. Janet Weston Simmons

William Gray Lett, son of Samuel Edward and Virginia A. (Dortch) Lett, was born October 6, 1883 in Mecklenburg Co., VA., and died December 3, 1951 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

William married Janet Weston Simmons, daughter of N.E. and Pol (---) Simmons, on December 22, 1910. Janet was born December 9, 1887 and died February 28, 1919.

Children of William Gray and Janet Weston (Simmons) Lett:

i. Virginia Lett, b. 1915 South Hill, VA, d. June 25, 1994 Richmond, VA., m. Ben Saunders

Virginia Lett, daughter of William Gray and Janet Weston (Simmons) Lett, was born in 1915 in South Hill, Mecklenburg Co., VA., and died June 25, 1994 in Richmond, VA.

Virginia married Ben Saunders

Children of Ben and Virginia (Lett) Saunders:

i. Clarence Saunders

ii. Ben Saunders Jr.

Elizabeth Lett, daughter of Joseph H. and Virginia Nancy (Rolfe) Lett, was born in 1853 in Mecklenburg Co., VA, and died in Baltimore, MD.

Elizabeth married Henry Childress.

John William Lett, son of Joseph H. and Virginian Nancy (Rolfe) Lett, was born in 1858 in Mecklenburg Co., VA., and died in Buckhorn Dist., Mecklenburg Co., VA.

John never married.

Hannah Moore Lett, daughter of Joseph H. and Virginia Nancny (Rolfe) Lett, was born in 1865 in Mecklenburg Co., VA., and died December 31, 1935.

Hannah married John Elam.

Drury H. Lett, son of Hardaway and Mary A. (Burton) Lett, was born circa in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

Drury married Elinor A. Tisdale on October 27, 1841 in Lunenburg Co., VA.

Pennington Lett, son of Joseph and Faithy (Hubbard) Lett, was born circa 1780 in Mecklenburg Co., VA. His will was proved November 1847 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

Pennington married Frances Pennington Feb 14 in 1810 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

Children of Pennington Lett:

i. Joseph T. Lett, b. circa 1820,

ii. Phillip Lett

iii. James Lett

iv. Mary Polly Lett, b. between 1810-1820 [1820 Census], m. David G. Hutcherson.

v. Jane C. Lett, b. April 10, 1813 Mecklenburg Co., VA., m. Joseph A. Lett

LAND RECORDS

Mecklenburg Co., VA. Deed Book 13, p. 4 Noah Dortch Sr. to Pennington Lett [1806]

Mecklenburg Co., VA. Deed Book 13, p. 175 Jesse Tucker to Pennington Lett [1807]

Mecklenburg Co., VA. Deed Book 13, p. 338 Pennington Lett, Bond to Commonwealth of VA [1807]

Mecklenburg Co., VA. Deed Book 17, p. 441 Pennington & Nancy Lett to William Moore etal [1818]

Mecklenburg Co., VA. Deed Book 26, p. 71 Sarah Dortch to Pennington Lett [1834]

Census Records

1820 Mecklenburg Co. VA
male born between 1810-1820
male born between 1775-1794 PENNINGTON LETT
female born between 1810-1820
female born between 1810-1820
female born between 1775-1794 FRANCES (PENNINGTON) LETT

1840 Mecklenburg Co. VA
male born between 1810-1825
male born between 1780-1790 PENNINGTON LETT
female born between 1825-1830
female born betwen 1790-1800 FRANCES (PENNINGTON) LETT ?

WILL OF PENNINGTON LETT
Mecklenburg Co., VA Will Book 16

In the name of God amen. I **Pennington Lett** of the county of Mecklenburg and state of Virginia calling to mind that I must die, do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament in manner and form following. (viz).

Item 1st. My will and desire is that my just debts be first paid.

Item 2nd. My will is that my grave yard be decently walled in with stone.

Item 3rd. I give and bequeath to my daughter **Polly Hutcherson,** during her natural life, a certain portion of my land described as follows. (viz) The same being south of a line to commence at a chopped spanish oak on --- Road avove the corner of my land lot from there a straight line to the long Branch so as to embrace the -- near said branch, and upon said land I wish a house to be built --- to -- about fifty dollars to be paid out of her part of my estate. I bequeath to my daughter **Polly Hutcherson** during her natural life two slaves named George and William and at the death of my said daughter **Polly Hutcherson,** my will is that the above named property go to her bodily heirs if she has any, if not then to go to the bodily heirs of my daughter **Jane Lett.**

Item 4th. I give and bequeath to my daughter **Jane Lett** two Negroes name Tom and Ann.

Item 5th. I give and bequeath to my son **Phillip Lett** during his natural life the balance of my land embracing my dwelling house and all other imporvements and lieing north of the above mentironed line also I give and bequeath to my said son **Phillip Lett** a negro named Cornelius and his wife Marinas and at the death of my said son **Phillip Lett** my will is that all the above property willed to him go to the bodily heirs of my daughter **Jane Lett.**

Item 6th. My will is that all the balance of my property not mentioned above be equally divided between my above named children and at their death to be disposed of as above.

And lastly I leave **Joseph A. Lett** Executor to this my Last Will and Testament. Given under my hand this 12th day of August one thousand eight hundred and forty seven and acknowledge in presence of: **Pennington Lett**

Robert A. Walker
Joseph H. Lett
Peter E. Lett

Mecklenburg County November Court 1847

The last will and Testament of **Pennington Lett** dec'd was this day produced into court and proved by the oaths of **R.A. Walker and Peter Lett** subscribing witnesses therunto and ordered to be recorded. And on motion of **J.A. Lett** the executor theirin

named who made oath thereto and together with **R.A. Walker and James Bowers** and acknowledged bond in the penalty of $10,000 conditioned according to law certificate is granted him for obtaining probate thereof in due form.

Richard B. Baptist

Mecklenburg Co., VA Will Book 17

Inventory & appraisment of the Estate of **Pennington Lett** dec'd by **Joseph A. Lett,** Exec.

1 Pine Press & contents	$ 8.00
1 Shot Gun	$ 3.50
1 Disk	$ 7.00
1 Metal Clock	$10.50
1 Walnut Folding Table	$ 3.00
3 Feather Beds & furniture	$36.00
1 Pine Chest	$ 2.00
1 Flax Wheel	$ 2.00
2 Saddles	$10.00
19 Rush Bottom Chairs	$ 6.00
Parcel of Seed Cotton	$ 1.75
5 Pair harness & Lot sheepskins	$ 1.00
1 Small table cradle	$ .30
--- and Looking Glass	$15.00
1 --- and Bed Blanket	$ 1.50
2 Stone Guggs [jugs?]	$ .75
1 Corner Cubbard & pine table	$ .75
1 Flax Hackle -- etc.	$ 1.00
Lot Books Slate & Brush	$ .50
1 Cross cut saw	$ .75
1 Grind Stone	$ 1.50
Lot Plough ---	$ .50
2 Pole Axes drawknife etc.	$ 1.25
1 Loom	$ 4.00
Kitchen furniture	$ 2.00
1 Spinning Wheel & Churn	$ .63
Lot of Water---	$ .38
2 Meal Bags	$ .50
	$122.00

Lot of --- & Grub Hoes	$ 1.00
Logt of --- Plough	$ 4.00
1 pair wedge cutter etc.	$ 1.20
Lot of old barrels	$ 1.00
2 pens of shucks & straw	$ 5.00
Remnant of wheat	$ 1.38
--- & Lot Barrels	$ 2.00
Lot of Potatoes	$ 1.50
Irish Potatoes	$ .25
Cooper Tools & ---	$ .20
Fan Mill	$ 3.00
Stock of Cattle	$25.00
1 Ox	$ 5.00
2 Horses	$30.00
1 Cart Wheel & cutting machine	$ 1.50

2 Calf Skins Raw	$ .50
8 Head of Sheep	$10.00
2 Oat Stacks near house	$ 5.00
2 Oat Stacks on Long Branch	$18.00
Stock Hogs	$42.00
Crop of Tobacco	$28.00
Fire Irons & Shovel	$ .50
1 Sifter	$ .38
Lot Flax	$ .75
Long Corn supposses 30 bush.	$45.00
Short Corn	$ 5.15
Blade fodder	$13.50
Ox cart & Yoke	$ 5.00

	$255.80
	$122.06

	$377.92

Mecklenburg Co. March Court 1848

The foregoing Inventory and Appraisement of the Estate of **Pennington Lett** was this day received into Court and ordered to be recorded.

Joseph T. Lett, son of Pennington and France (Pennington) Lett, was born circa 1820 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.
Joseph married

Phillip Lett, son of Pennington and Frances (Pennington) Lett, was born circa 1820 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

James Lett, son of Pennignton and Frances (Pennington) Lett, was born circa 1822 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

James was not mentioned in his father's will, so he must have died young.

Mary Polly Lett, daughter of Pennington and Frances (Pennington) Lett, was born between 1810-1820 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

Mary married David G. Hutcherson on February 17, 1840 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

Jane C. Lett, daughter of Pennington and Frances (Pennington) Lett, was born April 10, 1813 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

Jane married Joseph A. Lett, son of Joseph and Polly Jeffries (Burnett) Lett, on February 20, 1837 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

Edward "Ned" Lett, son of Joseph and Faithy (Hubbard) Lett, was born February 22, 1787 in Mecklenburg Co., VA., and died in 1862 in Monroe Co., AL.

Ned married Elizabeth Edwards Crook on June 12, 1814 in Mecklenburg Co., VA. Elizabeth was born February 3, 1797 in Mecklenburg Co., VA., and died in Monroe Co., AL.

Ned and his family moved to Monroe, Co., Alabama.

Children of Edward "Ned" and Elizabeth Edwards (Crook) Lett:

i. Nancy Elizabeth Lett, b. 1815 Mecklenburg Co.,VA., d. 1892, m. Richard Riddle Mosley

ii. Thomas O. Lett, b. June 16, 1818 Mecklenburg Co., VA.

iii. James Edward Lett, b. 1821 Mecklenburg Co., VA., d. 1862, m. Elizabeth Boykin Hunter

iv. Martha P. Lett, b. Mecklenburg Co., VA.

LAND RECORDS

Mecklenburg Co. VA. Deed Book 22, p. 155 Edward & Eliza A. Lett to Edwards Dodson [1836]

Census Records

1820 Mecklenburg Co. VA
male born between 1810-1820 THOMAS O. LETT
male born between 1775-1794 EDWARD LETT
female born between 1810-1820 NANCY E. LETT
female born between 1775-1794 ELIZABETH E. LETT

Nancy Elizabeth Lett, daughter of Edward and Elizabeth Edwards (Crook) Lett, was born October 14, 1815 Mecklenburg Co., VA., and died February 19, 1892 in Alabama.

Nancy married Richard Riddle Mosley circa 1837. Richard was born ca. 1805 in North Carolina.

Children of Richard Riddle and Nancy Elizabeth (Lett) Moseley:

i. Edward Moseley, b. ca. 1838
ii. Richard Mosely, b. ca. 1842
iii. Virginia Moseley, b. ca. 1845
iv. Nancy Moseley, b. ca 1846
v. Robert Moseley, b. ca. 1853

Thomas O. Lett, son of Edward and Elizabeth Edwards (Crook) Lett was born in 1818.

James Edward Lett, son of Edward and Elizabeth Edwards (Crook) Lett, was born April 4, 1821 Mecklenburg Co., VA., and died April 22, 1862 in Monroe Co., AL. Buried Bethany Baptist Church

James married Elizabeth Boykin Hunter on February 13, 1845 in Monroe Co., AL. Elizabeth was born November 25, 1821 in Alabama and died March 20, 1878 in Monroe Co., AL.

Children of James Edward and Elizabeth Boykin (Hunter) Lett:

i. Sarah Hunter Lett, b. March 10, 1846 Monroe Co., AL., m. George D. Duke

ii. Henry Hunter Lett, b. Sept 14 1847 Monroe Co., AL., d. Oct 15 1920, Monroe Co AL m. Caroline Goode King, m(2) Pellie Martin

iii. Mary H. Howard "Minna" Lett, b. 1850 Monroe Co., AL., m. Charles W. ~~Watkins~~ m(2) Claude Shields

iv. Elizabeth Lett, b. December 3, 1854 Monroe Co., AL., d. 1904, m. Benjamin J. Skinner

v. Martha "Mattie" Lett, b. ca 1858 Monroe Co., AL., m. John ~~McDuffie Sr.~~ Shields

vi. Virginia Marion Lett, b. ca 1858 Monroe Co., AL.

vii. Edward Lett, b. 1859 Monroe Co., AL. d. Dallas TX m. Annie Archinand

viii Anna "Annie" Lett

Sarah Hunter Lett, daughter of James Edward and Elizabeth Boykin (Hunter) Lett, was born May 10, 1846 in Monroe Co., AL.

Sarah married George D. Duke on June 19, 1860 in Monroe Co., AL.

Henry Hunter Lett, son of James Edward and Elizabeth Boykin (Hunter) Lett, was born September 14, 1847 in Monroe Co., AL., and died October 15, 1920 in Monroe Co., AL.

Henry married Caroline Goode King, daughter of William Dock and Rebecca ~~Singleton~~ Tait King, on December 15, 1874 in Monroe Co., AL. Caroline was born December 27, 1854 in Monroe Co., AL., and died September 16, 1903 in Monroe Co., AL..

Henry married secondly to Pellie Martin in Montgomery, AL. Sept 16 1903 Pellie died October 15, 1920 in Mobile, AL..

Children of Henry Hunter and Caroline Goode (King) Lett:

i. Henry Hunter Lett Jr., b. 1875, d. 1936, m. Velma Hale

ii. William Leonard Lett, b. November 2, 1877, d. November 7, 1955 m. unknown ca 1920

iii. Maud Evelyn Lett, b. March 31, 1879, Monroe Co AL d. June 10, 1955, m. Thomas Richard Guthrey 15 Oct 1903

iv. James Edward Lett, b. 1880 Oct 14 Monroe Co AL

v. George Frederick Lett, b. Jul 12 1882, Monroeco AL d. 1950 Sept 6 Jackson AL m. Lillian Lee Lambrecht

vi. Lopez Lett, b. 25 Jun 1885 Monroe Co AL

vii. Phillip Wood Lett, b. 1886, m. Lily Octavia Kennedy

viii. Goode King Lett, b. 1888 19 Jul Monroe Co AL

ix. Mary Scott Lett, b. 1889, d. 1975

x. Edward Archie Lett, b. 1891, d. 1928, m. Eva Abbott Lamar

xi. Sim Lambrecht Lett, b. 1894 28 May Monroe Co AL

Children of Henry Hunter and Pellie (Martin) Lett:

i. Ouita Lett, b. 1906 6 Jul Monroe Co AL m - Rose m(2) W. R. Knight

ii. Charles Russell Lett, b. 1909 11 Nov Monroe Co AL d. 1994 Mobile AL m. Mary Ethel Clancy 13 Apr 1936 Mobile AL

Henry Hunter Lett Jr., son of Henry Hunter and Caroline Goode (King) Lett, was born October 4, 1875 in Monroe Co., AL., and died February 19, 1936 in Monroe Co., AL.

Henry married Velma Hale, circa 1935 in Monroe Co., AL.

Children of Henry Hunter and Velma (Hale) Lett Jr.:

i. Carolyn Virginia Lett, b. Monroe Co., AL.

Carolyn Virginia Lett, daughter of Henry Hunter and Velma (Hale) Lett Jr., was born in Monroe Co., AL.

William Leonard Lett, son of Henry Hunter and Caroline Goode (King) Lett, was born November 2, 1877 in Monroe Co., AL., and died November 7, 1955 in Monroe Co., AL.

William married circa 1920.

Children of William Leonard Lett:

i. William Leonard Lett II

ii. Robert Winston Lett, m. Catherine Tatum

iii. John Blake Lett, m. Ann Perry Spencer

William Leonard Lett II, son of William Leonard Lett, was born

Robert Winston Lett, son of William Leonard Lett, was born
Robert married Catherine Tatum.

John Blake Lett, son of William Leonard Lett, was born
John married Ann Perry Spencer.

Maud Evelyn Lett, daughter of Henry Hunter and Caroline Goode (King) Lett, was born March 31, 1879 in Monroe Co., AL., and died June 10, 1955.

Maud married Thomas Richard Guthrey, on October 15, 1903 in Selma, Dallas Co., AL.

James E. Lett, son of Henry Hunter and Caroline Goode (King) Lett, was born October 14, 1880 in Monroe Co., AL.

George Frederick Lett, son of Henry Hunter and Caroline Goode (King) Lett, was born June 12, 1882 in Mornoe Co., AL., and died September 6, 1950 in Jackson, AL.

George married Lillian Lee Lambrecht.

Lopez Lett, son of Henry Hunter and Caroline Goode (King) Lett, was born June 25, 1885 in Monroe Co., AL.

dau of Thomas J. and Lula (Davis) Kennedy

Phillip Wood Lett, son of Henry Hunter and Caroline Goode (King) Lett, was born August 8, 1886 in Monroe Co., AL.

Phillip married Lily Octavia Kennedy. 3 Sept 1913

Children of Phillip Wood and Lily Octavia (Kennedy) Lett:

i. Phillip Wood Lett II, b. May 4, 1922 Newton, AL, m. Katy Lee Howell

Phillip Wood Lett II, son of Phillip Wood and Lily Octavia (Kennedy) Lett, was born May 4, 1922 in Newton, AL.

Phillip married Katy Lee Howell.

Children of Phillip Wood and Katy Lee (Howell) Lett II:

i. Kathy Lett

ii. Warren Lett

iii. Lisa Lett

Goode King Lett, son of Henry Hunter and Caroline Goode (King) Lett, was born July 19, 1888 in Monroe Co., AL.

Mary Scott Lett, daughter of Henry Hunter and Caroline Goode (King) Lett, was born July 23, 1889 in Monroe Co., AL., and died December 7, 1975 in Pineville, LA.

married Robert Abner Lee b. 8 Jun 1880 Mavenyo Co AL d. Sept 1978 Columbia, MS

Children

i. George Lee

ii Robert Lett Lee

Edward Archie Lett, son of Henry Hunter and Caroline Goode (King) Lett, was born June 8, 1891 in Monroe Co., AL., and died June 22, 1928 in Mobile, AL.

Edward married Eva Abbott Lamar, daughter of Robert E. Lee and Sarah "Sally" Estelle (Stanford) Lamar, on April 17, 1920 in Montgomery, AL. Sarah was born April 12, 1902 in Montgomery, AL., and died April 8, 1971 in Tuscaloosa,AL. They were divorced on August 29, 1924 in Montgomery, AL..

Children of Edward Archie and Eva Abott (Lamar) Lett:

i. Edward Archie Lett II, b. June 12, 1921 Montgomery, AL., m. Mary Louise Jackson

Edward Archie Lett II, son of Edward Archie and Eva Abbott (Lamar) Lett, was born June 12, 1921 in Montgomery, AL. He curently lives in East Point, GA.

Edward married Mary Louise Jackson, daughter of William Minyard Jackson and Bessie Eugenia Davis, on August 18, 1942 in McClenny, ~~Jacksonville~~ Baker Co, FL. Mary was born August 12, 1923 in Atlanta, Fulton Co., GA..

Chidlren of Edward Archie and Mary Louise (Jackson) Lett II:

i. Joye Lamar Lett, b. October 23, 1943 Atlanta, GA., m. Frank William Quinn

ii. Edward Archie Lett III, b. November 12, 1946 Atlanta, GA., m. Latiffee de Jesus Fagres Seijas

iii. Maura Louise "Morgana" Lett, b. November 2, 1948 Atlanta, GA.

iv. Celia Elizabeth Lett, b. September 11, 1959 Atlanta, GA.

Joye Lamar Lett, daughter of Edward Archie and Mary Louise (Jackson) Lett II, was born October 23, 1943 in Atlanta, Fulton Co., GA. She currently lives in Stone Mountain, GA.

Joye married Frank William Quinn on October 14, 1963 in Atlanta, Fulton Co., GA. Frank was born December 16, 1940 in Atlanta, Fulton Co., GA.

Children of Frank William and Joye Lamar (Lett) Quinn:

i. Thomas Franklin Quinn, b. August 12, 1964 Atlanta GA., m. Megan Jill Brooks

ii. Matthew Lamar Quinn, b. June 6, 1969 Atlanta, GA.

iii. Timothy Stephen Quinn, b. January 30, 1975 Rome, GA.

Edward Archie Lett III, son of Edward Archie and Mary Louise (Jacson) Lett II, was born November 12, 1946 in Atlanta, Fulton Co., GA.

Edward married Latiffe de Jesus Fagres Seijas on July 14, 1984 in Gwinnett Co., GA. Latiffe was born November 5, 1948 in Anaco, Anzoategui, Venezuela.

Children of Edward Archie and Latiffe de Jesus (Fagres Seijas) Lett:

i. Edward Antonio Lett, b. November 19, 1985 Atlanta, GA.

Edward Antonio Lett, son of Edward Archie and Latiffe de Jesus (Fagres Seijas) Lett, was born November 19, 1985 in Atlanta, Fulton Co., GA.

Maura Louise "Morganna" Lett, daughter of Edward Archie and Mary Louise (Jackson) Lett II, was born November 2, 1948 in Atlanta, Fulton Co., GA.

Celia Elizabeth Lett, daughter of Edward Archie and Mary Louise (Jackson) Lett II, was born September 11, 1959 in Atlanta, Fulton Co., GA.

Sim Lambrecht Lett, son of Henry Hunter and Caroline Goode (King) Lett, was born May 28, 1894 in Monroe Co., AL.

Ouita Lett, daughter of Henry Hunter and Pellie (Martin) Lett, was born July 6, 1906 in Monroe Co., AL.

Charles Russell Lett, son of Henry Hunter and Pellie (Martin) Lett, was born November 11, 1909 in Monroe Co., AL., and died 1994 in Mobile, AL.

Charles married Mary Ethel Clancy on April 13, 1936 in Mobile, AL.

Mary HOward "Minna" Lett, daughter of James Edward and Elizabeth Boykin (Hunter) Lett, was born in 1850 in Monroe Co., AL.

Mary married Charles W. Watkins on April 4, 1865 in Monroe Co., AL.

Mary married secondly to Claude Shields

Children of Charles W. and Mary (Lett) Watkins

i. Lena Watkins

Children of Claude and Mary(Lett) Shields

i. John Shields

ii Carter Shields

iii Bry Shields

iv Claudin Shields

Elizabeth Lett, daughter of James Edward and Elizabeth Boykin (Hunter) Lett, was born December 3, 1854 in Monroe Co., AL., and died June 22, 1904 in Monroe Co., AL. Buried Bethany Baptist Church

Elizabeth married Benjamin J. Skinner on September 22, 1875 in Monroe Co., AL. Benjamin born 24 Sep 1849 d 12 Jan 1912

Children of Benjamin J. and Elizabeth (Lett) Skinner

i. Alleine Skinner b. Nov 1879 d. May 1880 Conecuh Co AL

Martha "Mattie" Lett, daughter of James Edward and Elizabeth Boykin (Hunter) Lett, was born circa 1853 in Monroe Co., AL.

Martha married John McDuffie Sr. on June 29, 1881 in Monroe Co., AL.

Virginia Marion Lett, daughter of James Edward and Elizabeth Boykin (Hunter) Lett was born circa 1858 in Monroe Co., AL.

m, John McDuffie 30 Jun 1876

Children

i. John McDuffie m. Oct 1916 Cornelia Annet Hixon
ii Bessie McDuffie
iii Mary Howard McDuffie
iv Hunter Lett McDuffie
v Archie McDuffie b. 1891 d. 1902 Mobile AL
vi Virginia Marion McDuffie
vii Laura Agnes McDuffie d. 6 Sep 1906 Point Clear AL

Edward Lett, son of James Edward and Elizabeth Boykin (Hunter) Lett was born in 1859 in Monroe Co., AL.

Martha P. Lett, daughter of Edward and Elizabeth Edwards (Crook) Lett , was born in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

Martha married Garrett N. Booker on October 27, 1853 in Monroe Co., AL.

Drury Lett, son of Joseph and Faithy (Nance) Lett, was born July 25, 1790 in Mecklenburg Co., VA, and died February 1, 1857 in Muhlenberg Co., KY. He is buried in the Jackson Cemetery, Muhlenberg Co., KY. No will has been found in either Logan or Muhlenberg Cos., KY.

Drury married Mary Polly Simmons, daughter of Samuel Bernard and Elizabeth (Edmondson) Simmons, on January 9, 1827 in Mecklenburg Co., VA. Mary was born circa 1806 in Mecklenburg Co., VA, and died after 1880 in Muhlenberg Co., KY. She married secondly to Thomas Wood on October 28, 1860 in Muhlenberg Co., KY.

Drury and his family lived in Mecklenburg Co., VA. until 1847, when they moved west to Tennessee. Land records in Mecklenburg Co. indicate that Drury & Mary sold their land on April 19, 1847 to Jessee Roffee. Family tradition states that they moved near the Nashville, TN. area. On February 28, 1850 in Logan Co., KY, Drury stated that he had not brought slaves into the state of Kentucky for any purpose other than personal use.

In October 1857 in Logan Co., KY, Drury purchased personal property from his son in law, B.W. Dickerson. Drury moved to Muhlenberg Co., KY near Greenville sometime shortly after and settled on a farm there. After his death, his wife Mary appears in the 1860 Census of Muhlenberg Co. KY.

Drury's occupation was that of a farmer and a school teacher. Drury and Mary raised a family of ten children, who during the Civil War period spread throughout Kentucky.

In the 1830 Census of Mecklenburg Co., VA., Drury's family was listed with both a male and female, both born between 1810-1815, who have not been identified. These might be other relatives, or could indicate children of a previous marriage.

Children of Drury & Mary Polly (Simmons) Lett:

i. Ann Elizabeth Lett, b. circa 1829 Mecklenburg Co., VA, d. before 1869, m. Bushrod Washington Dickerson.

ii. Samuel Joseph Lett, b. circa 1831 Mecklenburg Co., VA, d. circa 1864, m. Elizabeth Caroline Traughber.

iii. John James Lett, b. circa 1832 Mecklenburg Co., VA., d. 1886 Henderson, KY., m. Ann E. Smith.

iv. Mary Jane Lett, b. circa 1833 Mecklenburg Co., VA., m. R. G. Smith

v. Julia Green Lett, b. circa 1835 Mecklenburg Co., VA., d. July 13, 1889 Henderson, KY., m. James R. Davis

vi. Thomas Edward Lett, b. May 1837 Mecklenburg Co., VA., d. July 14, 1907 Henderson, KY., m(1) Eliza Jane Ragon, m(2) Mary Catherine Wilkerson

vii. Louisa Adaline Lett, b. circa 1838 Mecklenburg Co., VA., m. John W. Smith

viii. Lucy Virginia Lett, b. circa 1841 Mecklenburg Co., VA., m. John Riley Wood

ix. Drury Green Lett, b. circa 1844 Mecklenburg Co., VA., m(1) Mary Ellen Pruitt, m(2) Mary S. Evans

x. Roberta Angeline Lett, b. circa 1847 Mecklenburg Co., VA, m. A. Henry Green

LAND RECORDS

Mecklenburg Co. VA Deed Book 21, p. 403 [1825] Elizabeth Farrar to Drury Lett

Mecklenburg Co. VA Deed Book 23, p. 115 [1828] Robert C. Tucker to Drury Lett

Mecklenburg Co. VA Deed Book 23, p. 323 [1828] Joseph Lett to Drury Lett

Mecklenburg Co. VA Deed Book 24, p. 435 [1831] Drury Lett to Thomas B. Lett

Mecklenburg Co. VA Deed Book 26, p. 105 [1834] Joseph Lett to Drury Lett

Mecklenburg Co. VA Deed Book 27, p. 578 [1838] Drury & Mary Lett to Waddy J. Jackson

Mecklenburg Co. VA Deed Book 32, p. 321 [1847] Drury & Mary Lett to Jessee Roffe

Logan Co., KY Deed Book 29, p. 539 Drury Lett affirmation concerning slaves [1850]

Logan Co., KY Deed Book 31, p. 122 B. W. Dickerson to Drury Lett [1857]

Census Records

1830 Mecklenburg Co. VA
male born between 1825-1830
male born between 1810-1815
male born between 1790-1800 DRURY LETT
female born between 1825-1830
female born between 1810-1815
female born between 1800-1810 MARY P. LETT

1840 Mecklenburg Co. VA
male born between 1835-1840 THOMAS E. LETT
male born between 1830-1835 JOHN J. LETT
male born between 1830-1835 SAMUEL J. LETT
male born between 1825-1830
male born between 1825-1830
female born between 1835-1840 LOUISA LETT
female born between 1830-1835 JULIA LETT
female born between 1830-1835 MARY LETT
female born between 1825-1830 ANN LETT
female born between 1800-1810 MARY P. LETT

1850 Logan Co. KY
Drewry Lett, 59, Farmer, b. 1791 VA
Mary Lett, 44, b. 1806 VA
Samuel Lett, 20, b. 1830 VA
John J. Lett, 19, b. 1831 VA
Mary J. Lett, 17, b. 1833 VA

Mecklenburg Deed Bk 27 p578

This Indenture made and entered into this 5th day of June in the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty eight between Drury Lett and Polly his wife of the one part and Waddy J. Jackson of the other part all of Mecklenburg County in the State of Virginia. Witneseth that the said Drury Lett for and in consideration of the sum of one hundred and thirty five dollars to him in hand paid or secured to be paid before the ensealing and delivery of these presents the receipt whereof he doth hereby acknowledge hath granted bargained and sold and by the presents do grant bargain and sell alien - release and confirm unto the said Waddy J. Jackson and his heirs forever one certain tract off parcel of land lying and being in the County of Mecklenburg and bounded as followings. Beginning at Jackson's corner pine thence N 47° ~~East~~ 102 poles to a corner red. oak thence N 40° W 16 poles N 30° W 4 1/4 poles N 59° W 9 1/2 poles to a small corner white oak thence S 41 1/2° W 50 1/2 poles to a small corner post oak thence S 61 1/2° W 58 1/2 poles to a corner maple on Dry Creek thence down the creek 18 poles to a corner White Oak on the creek thence S 72° E 33 poles to the beginning containing twenty acres. To have and to hold the said tract of land together with all and singular the advantages and priviledges thereunto belonging

or an any use appertaining to him the said Waddy J. Jackson and his heirs forever and the said Drury Lett and Polly his wife doth for themselves warrant and defend forever the right and title of the aforementioned land in and to the said Waddy J Jackson and his heirs and assigns against the claim of themselves or either of them their heirs or any other person or persons whatsoever. In testimony whereof the said Drury Lett and Polly his wife have hereun to set their hands and affixed their seals the day and date first above within.

Drury Lett (seal)
Mary Lett (seal)

Mecklenburg Co VA Deed Bk 23 p115

This indenture made this 12th February in the year of our Lord, One thousand eight hundred and twenty eight. Between Robert C. Tucker of the first part and Waddy J. Jackson of its second part, and Drury Lett trustee of the third part, whereas the said Robert C. Tucker is firstly indebted to the said Waddy J. Jackson in the just sum of Forty two dollars by bond bearing date with this Indenture and whereas the said Robert C. Tucker is desirous to secure and hath agreed to secure the payment of the said debt and interest with all charges attending the same or insured by reason of the promises by conveying the property herein after mentioned unto the said Lett. Now therefore this Indenture witnesseth that the said R. C. Tucker in consideration of the promise and of the sum of one dollar to him by the said Drury Lett trustee in hand paid the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged hath bargained and sold confirmed and made over and doth by these presents, bargain and sell confirm and make over unto the said Drury Lett his heirs the following mentioned property, to wit, My entire interest of my in my fathers Estate consisting of negroes and land, one grey horse and cow and its increase four feather beds sheets and furniture one desk 3 chest 10 sitting chairs 4 pine tables a parcel of earthen ware my stock of hogs crop of corn Fodder

and Oats together with the balance of my household and kitchen furniture plantation utensils of every description To have and to hold the property above mentioned unto the said Drury Lett his heirs admin. and assigns in trust and upon condition ~~that~~ nevertheless that it shall and may be lawful for the said trustee ~~in~~ or in case his death for his legal personal representative or — us not alive at any time ~~for the said trustee or~~ after the 1st January 1829 to make Sale of the property aforesaid or any part thereof to the highest bidder for cash having ~~paid~~ first advantages the time and place and terms of sale for two weeks

Julia Lett, 15, b. 1835 VA
Thomas Lett, 12, b. 1838 VA
Adaline Lett, 11, b. 1839 VA
Lucy Lett, 9, b. 1841 VA
Green Lett, 6, b. 1844 VA
Roberta Lett, 3, b. 1847 VA

1860 Muhlenberg Co. KY
Mary P. Lett, 54, Widow, b. 1806 VA
Thomas E. Lett, 22, Farmer, b. 1838 VA
Drewry G. Lett, 16, Farmer , b. 1844 VA
Angeline P. Lett, 13, b. 1847 VA

1870 Muhlenberg Co. KY
Thomas Wood, 67, Farmer
Mary P. Wood, 64, b. VA
Hannah (black), 75, b. VA
Nicia D. (black), 12, b. KY

Ann Elizabeth Lett, daughter of Drury and Mary Polly (Simmons) Lett, was born circa 1829 in Mecklenburg Co., VA., and probably died before 1869 in Logan Co., KY.

Ann married Bushrod Washington Dickerson on August 18, 1848 in Davidson Co., TN. Bushrod was born circa 1818 in Virginia and died April 8, 1872 in Logan Co., KY. Bushrod's will was filed in Logan Co., KY Book L, page 408. He married secondly to Martha Ann ----. Bushrod and Martha Ann are buried in the Greenwood Cemetery, Logan Co., KY. His first wife is probably buried there also.

Bushrod and Ann appear in the 1850 Census of Logan Co., KY., near her father, Drury Lett.

Children of Bushrod Washington and Ann Elizabeth (Lett) Dickerson:

i. Robert Louis Dickerson, b. October 22, 1849 Robertson Co., TN, d. April 13, 1927 Henderson, Henderson Co., KY

ii. George Dickerson

iii. Fannie Dickerson, m. --- Moore

CENSUS RECORDS

1850 Logan Co., KY
Bushrod Dickerson, 27, Carpenter, b. VA
Ann Dickerson, 21, b. VA
Robert Dickerson, 7/12, b. TN

Samuel Joseph Lett, son of Drury and Mary Polly (Simmons) Lett, was born circa 1831 in Mecklenburg Co., VA., and died circa 1864 in Logan Co., KY.

Samuel married Eliza Caroline Traughber, daughter of John and Mary (Wise) Traughber, on October 28, 1853 in Robertson Co., TN. Eliza was born circa 1840 in Kentucky and died 1901 in Logan Co., KY. She married secondly to Marion H. Holman. Marion was born April 1830 in Tennessee and died June 16, 1876 in Logan Co., KY. He was previously married to Elizabeth Traughber, sister of Eliza Caroline Traughber.

Samuel appears in the 1860 Census of Logan Co., KY as a farmer, living with the John Traughber family.

Samuel estate settlement is filed in Logan Co., KY Book J, pages 468-469, and was dated July 20, 1864, but not filed until November 22, 1866.

After his death, his children were raised by Marion H. Holman and are mentioned in his will, Book L, page 342. in Logan Co., KY.

Children of Samuel Joseph and Eliza Caroline (Traughber) Lett:

i. Mary A. Lett, b. circa 1855 Logan Co., KY.
ii. Frances Lett, b. March 31, 1857 Logan Co., KY.
iii. Christina Lett, b. circa 1858 Logan Co., KY.
iv. Drury Green Lett, b. March 23, 1859 Logan Co., KY, d. November 30, 1937 Logan Co., KY., m. Sarah Jane Drane.
v. Lucy R. Lett, b. circa 1859 [1870 Census] Logan Co., KY.

Census Records

1860 Logan Co., KY
Traughber, John, 68, Farmer, b. N.C.
Traughber, Mary, 66, b. N.C.
Traughber, David C., 28, Laborer, b. KY
Lett, Sam, 28, Laborer, b. VA
Lett, Eliza, 20, wife, b. KY
Lett, Mary A., 5, b. KY
Lett, Christina, 2, b. KY
Lett, Green, 1, b. KY
Russell, Montorey, 9, b. KY

1870 Logan Co., KY
Holman, Marion H., 40, blacksmith, b. TN
Holman, Eliza, 34, keeping house, b. KY
Holman, John N., 13, on farm, b. KY
Holman, James S., 9, b. KY
Holman, Lenora, 6, b. KY
Holman, Wilmoth C., 4, b. KY
Holman, Marion, 3., b. KY
Lett, Lucy R., 11, at school, b. KY
Lett, Drury G., 10, b. KY

Mary A. Lett, daughter of Samuel Joseph and Eliza Caroline (Traughber) Lett, was born circa 1855 in Logan Co., KY., and died before 1860 Census.

Frances Lett, daughter of Samuel Joseph and Eliza Caroline (Traughber) Lett, was born March 31, 1857 in Logan Co., KY.

Christina Lett, daughter of Samuel Joseph and Eliza Caroline (Traughber) Lett, was born circa 1858 in Logan Co., KY.

Drury Green Lett, son of Samuel Joseph and Eliza Caroline (Traughber) Lett, was born March 23, 1859 in Logan Co., KY and died November 30, 1937 in Logan Co., KY. He is buried in the Greenwood Cemetery, Adairville, Logan Co., KY.

Green married Sarah Jane Drane, daughter of Hugh Douglas Drane, circa 1880, probably in Logan Co., KY. Sarah was born January 14, 1864 and died November 27, 1938. She is buried in the Greenwood Cemetery, Adairville, Logan Co., KY.

Green witnessed the will of Sarah Trayainium in 1889 in Logan Co., KY.

Children of Drury Green and Sarah Jane (Drane) Lett:

i. Ruth Lett, b. circa 1881, d. December 13, 1922, m. Joe M. Pearson

ii. Vallie Lett, b. 1885 Logan Co., KY.

iii. Clarence Lett, b. 1886 Logan Co., KY, d. 1952, m. Rosa ---

iv. Annie Lett, b. 1889 Logan Co., KY

v. Idella Lett

vi. Coleman Lett, b. June 26, 1891 Logan Co., KY, d. November 13, 1908.

Ruth Lett, daughter of Drury Green and Sarah Jane (Drane) Lett, was born circa 1881 and died December 13, 1922.
Ruth married Joe M. Pearson.
Children of Joe M. and Ruth (Lett) Pearson:
i. Myrtle Pearson, m. --- Wooden
ii. Lorene Pearson
iii. Margaret Pearson
iv. Mayme Ruth Pearson
v. Opal Pearson, b. 1922

Vallie Lett, daughter of Drury Green and Sarah Jane (Drane) Lett, was born in 1885 in Logan Co., KY.

Clarence Lett, son of Drury Green and Sarah Jane (Drane) Lett, was born 1886 in Logan Co., KY, and died 1952 in Logan Co., KY. He is buried in the Greenwood Cemetery, Adairville, Logan Co., KY.

Clarence married Rosa E. Linton on November 15, 1905 in Logan Co., KY. Rosa was born in 1883 and died in 1969. She is buried in the Greenwood Cemetery, Adairville, Logan Co., KY.

Children of Clarence and Rosa (---) Lett:

i. Drury Lett, b. November 11, 1906 Logan Co., KY, d. February 13, 1976 Logan Co., KY.

Drury Lett, son of Clarence and Rosa (---) Lett, was born November 11, 1906 in Logan Co., KY, and died February 13, 1976 in Logan Co., KY.

Drury married Carrie King.

Children of Drury and Carrie (King) Lett:

i. James D. Lett, b. February 2, 1931 Logan Co., KY.

ii. Earl Gossett Lett, b. February 15, 1932 Logan Co., KY.

James D. Lett, son of Drury and Carrie (King) Lett, was born February 2, 1931 in Logan Co., KY.

Earl Gossett Lett, son of Drury and Carrie (King) Lett, was born February 15, 1932 in Logan Co., KY.
Earl resides in Franklin, KY
Earl married Sue Moore.
Children of Earl and Sue (Moore) Lett:
i. Sharon Lett, m. Mark Head

Sharon Lett , daughter of Earl and Sue (Moore) Lett, married Mark Head.

John James Lett, son of Drury and Mary Polly (Simmons) Lett, was born circa 1831-1832 in Mecklenburg Co., VA and died 1886 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY. He was buried on February 1, 1886 at the Fernwood Cemetery in Henderson, KY. His cause of death was apolexy, aged 56.

John married Ann E. Smith on February 21, 1856 in Henderson Co., KY. Ann was born circa 1838 in either Virginia or Kentucky. She died on July 27, 1929 in Chicago, Cook Co., IL., and is buried in the Fernwood Cemetery, Henderson, KY.

John and his family appear in the 1860 Census of Muhlenberg Co., KY. The moved to Henderson between then and the 1870 Census. John was a businessman in Henderson until his death in 1886.

According to Henderson City Directories, Ann Lett lived at 111 N. Adams and at 809 Center St. during her life in Henderson, and listed her occupation as a dressmaker.

Children of John James and Ann E. (Smith) Lett:

i. Miranda Lett, b. circa 1857 Muhlenberg Co., KY, died before 1870.

ii. William D. Lett, b. circa 1859 Muhlenberg Co., KY., died before 1870.

iii. Amanda A. Lett, b. circa 1860 Muhlenberg Co., KY, d. July 9, 1885 Henderson, Henderson Co., KY., m. Richard A. Rouse.

iv. Addie G. Lett, b. circa 1863 Henderson Co., KY., d. August 24, 1892 Henderson, Henderson Co., KY., m. W. A. Davis

v. Fannie M. Lett, b. circa 1863 Henderson Co., KY., m. William H. Fisher.

vi. Tye M. Lett, b. circa 1865 Henderson Co., KY.

vii. Mary A. Lett, b. circa 1867 Henderson Co., KY., d. 1948, m. David Lee Parker.

viii. Alphena/Alcina? Lett, b. circa 1869-70 Henderson Co., KY.

ix. Frank J. or J. Frank Lett, bur. Henderson, KY.

Census Records

1920 Henderson Co., KY
Annie E. Lett, 81, widow, b. KY

LAND RECORDS

Henderson Co., KY Deed Book 38, p. 362 [1906] R.S. Smith to Ann E. Lett, Lot on O'Byrne St.

Henderson Co., KY Court May 1883, J.J. Lett vs. George Allgoodte, Case #17410

Henderson Co., KY Court Jan. 1884, J.J. Lett vs. James Alves, Case #17876

Henderson Co., KY Court July 1886, J.J. Lett vs. Jno. B. Hart, Case #18432

Henderson Co., KY Court March 1869, J.J. Lett vs. Wilson

Negley, Case #14319

Henderson Co., KY Court March 1873, J.J. Lett vs. M.S. Williams, Case #15549

Henderson Co., KY Court Sept. 1874, J.J. Lett vs. Delker of Crig., Case #15945

Henderson Co., KY Court Nov. 1867, J.J. Lett vs. George Negley, Case #164

Miranda Lett, daughter of John James and Ann E. (Smith) Lett, was born circa 1857 in Muhlenberg Co., KY., and died before the 1870 Census. Muhlenberg Co. records list a A.A. Lett, b. July 17, 1857, could be same as Amanda.

William D. Lett, son of John James and Ann E. (Smith) Lett, was born circa 1859 in Muhlenberg Co., KY., and died before the 1870 Census.

Amanda A. Lett, daughter of John James and Ann E. (Smith) Lett, was born circa 1860 in Muhlenberg Co., KY., and died July 9, 1885 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY. She is buried in the Fernwood Cemetery, Henderson, KY. Her age is listed as 21 in her marriage record.

Amanda married Richard A. Rouse on January 30, 1879 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY. Richard was born in 1855.

Addie G. Lett, daughter of John James and Ann E. (Smith) Lett, was born circa 1863 in Henderson Co., KY., and died August 24, 1892 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY. She is buried in the Fernwood Cemetery, Henderson, KY. Her cause of death is listed as phthsis [sic]. Her age is given as 16 in her marriage record.

Addie married her first cousin, William Adolphus Davis, on July 22, 1879 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY. William was born May 15, 1855 in Logan Co., KY. and died December 11, 1912 in Henderson, KY. He married secondly to Mary H. Williams.

Children of William Adolphus and Addie G. (Lett) Davis:

i. Annie Julia Davis, b. July 7, 1879 Henderson, KY., d. June 2, 1966 Henderson, KY., m. W. E. Loney

ii. Blanche Davis, m. --- Huff.

iii. Coleman Davis

iv. Eddie Davis

Fannie M. Lett, daughter John James and Ann E. (Smith) Lett, was born circa 1863 in Henderson Co., KY. Her age is listed as 16 in her marriage record.

Fannie married William H. Fisher on December 31, 1878 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY. William was born in Kentucky circa 1853.

Fannie was living in Chicago, IL in 1929.

Tye M. Lett, son of John James and Ann E. (Smith) Lett, was born circa 1865 in Henderson Co., KY.

Tye is said to have moved to the Miami Beach, FL area.

The 1893-94 Henderson Directory shows that Tye Lett owned a shop on 1st Street dealing in hats, caps, men's furnishing goods, millenery, boots, shoes, etc. This shop may have been one previously owned by his uncle, Drury Green Lett.

Tye was living in Miami, FL in 1929.

LAND RECORDS

Henderson Co., KY Deed Book 11, p. 581 [1886] Paul Farney & Co. to T. M. Lett

Henderson Co., KY Deed Book 19, p. 352 [1893] R.L. Dickerson to T. M. Lett

Mary A. Lett, daughter of John James and Ann E. (Smith) Lett, was born circa 1867 in Henderson Co., KY. Her age is listed as 18 in her marriage record. Mary died on November 23, 1948 in Chicago, Cook Co., IL., and was buried on November 25, 1948 in the Fernwood Cemetery, Henderson, KY.

Mary married David Lee Parker on April 21, 1886 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY. David was born in 1864, and died on August 31, 1937 in Chicago, Cook Co., IL. He was buried on September 2, 1937 in the Fernwood Cemetery, Henderson, KY.

Children of David Lee and Mary A. (Lett) Parker:

i. Harry Parker

ii. Euneva Parker, m. --- Scorup.

Alphena/Alcina Lett, daughter of John James and Ann E. (Smith) Lett, was born circa 1869-70 in Henderson Co., KY.

There is conflict as to her first name. It is listed as Alphena in the 1870 Census, but Alcina Lett Goldstein in Fernwood Cemetery records in Henderson, KY. It is possible that these are two separate daughters. See Chapter 9.

Julia Green Lett, daughter of Drury and Mary Polly (Simmons) Lett, was born circa 1835 in Mecklenburg Co., VA., and died July 13, 1889 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY. Her age at death was listed as 53..

Julia married James R. Davis, son of Randall and Mary (--) Davis, on May 18, 1854 in Muhlenberg Co., KY. James died October 3, 1885 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY.

Children of James R. and Julia Green (Lett) Davis:

i. William Adolphus Davis, b. May 15, 1855 Logan Co., KY., d. December 11, 1912 Henderson, KY., m. Addie G. Lett, m(2). Mary H. Williams

ii. Jefferson C. Davis, b. January 15, 1861 Logan Co., KY., d. July 13, 1924 Henderson, KY., m. Katie Henry

iii. Robert G. Davis, b. April 23, 1867 Logan Co., KY., d. January 12, 1940 Henderson, KY.

iv. unknown Davis, mentioned in letter of Mary P. Wood

Thomas Edward Lett, son of Drury and Mary Polly (Simmons) Lett, was born May 1837 in Mecklenburg Co., VA. and died July 14, 1907 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY. He was buried July 15, 1907 in the Fernwood Cemetery, Henderson, KY. His cause of death was listed as malaria.

Thomas married Eliza Jane Ragon on September 9, 1869 in Logan Co., KY. Eliza was born circa 1827 in Kentucky, her father was born in Maryland and her mother was born in Kentucky. Eliza is buried in the Maple Grove Cemetery, Logan Co., KY.

Thomas married secondly Mary Catherine "Mollie" Wilkerson, daughter of Thomas and Lucy (Rogers) Wilkerson, on September 10, 1890 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY. Mollie was born September 25, 1861 in Virginia and died July 31, 1943 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY. She was buried August 1, 1943 in the Fernwood Cemetery, Henderson Co., KY. Mollie married secondly to Samuel Byers on October 7, 1908 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY. She married thirdly to --- Cumbie in Oklahoma.

I have not discovered any children of Thomas' first marriage.

Thomas' occupation was that of a farmer. In February of 1886, he purchased Plot # 646 of the Fernwood Cemetery in Henderson, where he and members of the Lett family are buried.

Children of Thomas Edward and Mary Catherine (Wilkerson) Lett:

i. Thomas Edward Lett, b. March 14, 1893/95 Henderson, KY., d. June 29, 1962 Henderson, KY., m. Lillian Lorine Critser.

ii. Drury Lee Lett, b. November 1899/1902 Henderson, KY., d. February 9, 1978 Orlando, FL, m. Eunice Ball

iii. unknown Lett, 1900 Census suggests at least one other child, possibly died in infancy.

Census Records

1870 Logan Co., KY
Lett, Thomas E., 33, Farmer, b. VA
Lett, Eliza J., 40, Keeping house, b. KY
Bumbridge, Jacob, 45, black, day laborer, b. KY

LAND RECORDS

Logan Co., KY Deed Book 45, p. 490 [1872] Eliza J. & Thomas Lett to Edward G. Ragon

Logan Co. KY Deed Book 45, p. 451 [1872] Eliza J. & Thomas Lett to F. H. Ragon

Logan Co., KY Deed Book 45, p. 493 [1872] Eliza J. & Thomas Lett to Emily Dunavan

Logan Co., KY Deed Book 45, p. 494 [1872] Eliza J. & Thomas Lett to Mary Gibbs

Logan Co., KY Deed Book 71, p. 412 Thomas Lett to Ned Dunavan, 90 acres.

CENSUS RECORDS

1880 Logan Co. KY
Thomas E. Lett, 43, Grocer & Farmer, b. VA
Eliza J. Lett, 53, wife

Thomas Edward Lett, son of Thomas Edward and Mary Catherine (Wilkerson) Lett, was born March 14, 1893/95 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY., and died June 29, 1962 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY. He was buried on July 1, 1962 in the Fernwood Cemetery, Henderson, KY. The conflict on his year of birth stem from the 1900 Census, which lists 1893, and his death record, supplied by his wife, which lists 1895 as his year of birth.

Thomas married Lillian Lorine Critser, daughter of John Isaac and Birchye (Edds) Critser, on November 11, 1926 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY. Lorine was born December 3, 1902 in McLean Co., KY., and died 1995 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY.

Thomas was a veteran of World War I, serving in the Army as a mess sergeant in France. His full military record has not yet been researched.

Thomas and Lorine were quite active in the affairs of Henderson Co. Land records indicate that they were very astute business people, buying and selling land over a number of years. One section of land they purchased was latter developed into a subdivision that bears the Lett name. There is still a Lett St. and a Lett Court in Henderson.

For several years, Thomas served a number of political offices, including deputy sheriff and deputy constable.

Children of Thomas Edward and Lillian Lorine (Critser) Lett:

i. Joanne Lett, b. September 9, 1927 Henderson, KY., m. Douglas Alton Markey.

ii. Thomas Edward Lett, b. January 14, 1930 Henderson KY., m(1) Betty Louise Snyder, m(2) Elizabeth (Maynard) Wilson

iii. James William Lett, b. November 26, 1931 Henderson KY., m. Wilda Beatrice O'Nan

iv. infant Lett, b. November 21, 1933 Henderson KY., d. November 21, 1933.

Joanne Lett, daughter of Thomas Edward and Lillian Lorine (Critser) Lett, was born September 9, 1927 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY.

Joanne married Douglas Alton Markey, son of Charles Herbert and Margie Edith (Wimmer) Markey, on June 15, 1948 in Henderson , KY. Douglas was born in Bastian VA.

Children of Douglas Alton and Joanne (Lett) Markey:

i. Sharon Markey, b. June 13, 1949 Henderson, KY, d. June 15, 1949 Henderson, KY.

ii. Diane Markey, b. April 18, 1951 Terre Haute, IN, m. Charles Helt.

iii. Susan Markey, b. July 24, 1954 Norwalk, CT.

Thomas Edward Lett, son of Thomas Edward and Lillian Lorine (Critser) Lett, was born January 14, 1930 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY. He currently resides in Henderson, KY.

Thomas married Betty Louise Snyder, daughter of John Russell and Louise (Cooper) Snyder, on December 21, 1950 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY. Betty was born April 9, 1931 in Louisville, Jefferson Co., KY., and currently resides in Owensboro, KY. Thomas and Betty divorced in 1984, and Betty remarried to Glenn Shaw.

Thomas married secondly to Elizabeth (Maynard) Wilson, daughter of Edward Paul and Martha Louise (Roberson) Maynard, on July 12, 1986 . Elizabeth was born August 9, 1940 in Stirrat, Logan Co., WVA. She was previously married to Paul Wilson, and has two daughters, Fran Wilson, b. August 3, 1966 Hopkinsville, KY., and Marci Wilson, b. June 22, 1970 Hopkinsville, KY.

Thomas served in the Korean War. He attended the Wentworth Military Academy in Lexington, MO, and the U.S. War College. He is a graduate of the Evansville College (now University of Evansville, IN). He served 30 years in the Kentucky National Guard, before retiring at the rank of Colonel.

Children of Thomas Edward and Betty Louise (Snyder) Lett:

i. Thomas Edward Lett, b. February 24, 1953 Union Co., KY., m(1) Julie Ann McChesney, m(2) Jane Hadden.

ii. John Randall Lett, b. April 13, 1955 Henderson KY., m(1) Mary Kay Fuller, m(2) Debra Ann Weiler, m(3) Shirley McEntire

iii. Sheryl Ann Lett, b. February 23, 1957 Henderson, KY., m. Gary Chapman

Thomas Edward Lett, son of Thomas Edward and Betty Louise (Snyder) Lett, was born February 24, 1953 in Union Co., KY. He currently resides in Lexington, KY.

Thomas married Julie Ann McChesney on June 7, 1975 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY. They divorced in 1979. Julie remarried to Ken Perrine, and resides in Glenridge, NJ.

Thomas married secondly to Jane Hadden.

Thomas is an architect.

Children of Thomas Edward and Julie Ann (McChesney) Lett:

i. Amy Lett

Amy Lett, daughter of Thomas Edward and Julie Ann (McChesney) Lett, was born

John Randall Lett, son of Thomas Edward and Betty Louise (Snyder) Lett, was born April 13, 1955 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY. He resides in Killeen, TX.

John married Mary Kay Fuller, daughter of Floyd Mac and Vivian Leabelle (Trout) Fuller, on July 7, 1972 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY. Mary was born January 21, 1956 in Danville, Vermillion Co., IL. They divorced in 1977. Mary remmaried to Cary McMullen.

John married secondly to Debra Ann Weiler, daughter of Kenneth James and Norma Jean (Coleman) Weiler, in 1979 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY. Debra was born June 28, 1955 in Nassau Co., NY. They divorced in 1983. Debra currently resides in Evansville, IN.

John married thirdly to Shirley Ann McEntire, daughter of Bruce Lugene and Annie Augusta (---) McEntire, in 1992, in Newton, Newton Co., TX. Shirley was born September 25, 1946 in Pine Bluff, Jefferson Co., AR.

John currently is stationed at Ft. Hood, TX as a Sgt. in the Army. He was also a Capt. in the National Guard, having served 14 years in the Guard. He was also stationed in Germany for 5 years in the Army, and is a veteran of the Persian Gulf War.

Children of John Randall and Mary Kay (Fuller) Lett:

i. Jessica Kay Lett, b. February 3, 1973 Henderson, KY.

ii. John David Lett, b. September 3, 1975 Henderson, KY.

Children of John Randall and Debra Ann (Weiler) Lett:

iii. Kendra Ann Lett, b. February 25, 1980 Evansville, IN.

Jessica Kay Lett, daughter of John Randall and Mary Kay (Fuller) Lett, was born February 3, 1973 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY.

Jessica married Travis John LeMaster, son of Ord Weldon and Gloria Jean (Wright) LeMaster, on July 16, 1994 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY. Travis was born November 5, 1968 in Anderson, Madison Co., IN. He was previously married to Jala Renee Miller, and has a daughter, Corinne Nicole LeMaster, b. November 7, 1990 Muncie, IN.

Travis is a graduate of Ball State University. Jessica is currently attending Henderson Community College.

John David Lett, son of John Randall and Mary Kay (Fuller) Lett, was born September 3, 1975 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY.

Kendra Ann Lett, daughter of John Randall and Debra Ann (Weiler) Lett, was born February 25, 1980 in Evansville, Vanderburgh Co., IN.

Sheryl Ann Lett, daughter of Thomas Edward and Betty Louise (Snyder) Lett, was born February 23, 1957 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY.

Sheryl married Gary Chapman.

Children of Gary and Sheryl Ann (Lett) Chapman:

i. John Samuel Chapman.

James William Lett was born November 26, 1931 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY.

James married Wilda Beatrice O'Nan, daughter of Ora and Margaret O'Nan, on August 1, 1953 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY. Wilda was born August 17, 1933 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY.

James entered the U.S. Army in March 1954 and retired April 1974 as a Lt. Colonel. He has served overseas in Germany, France, Greenland, Pakistan and Vietnam.

Children of James William and Wilda Beatrice (O'Nan) Lett:

i. James William Lett, b. September 29, 1955 Augsburg, Germany.

ii. Timothy John Lett, b. January 5, 1957 Henderson, Henderson Co., KY., m. Connie ----.

James William Lett, son of James William and Wilda Beatrice (O'Nan) Lett, was born September 29, 1955 in Augsburg, Germany.

James is currently a professor at the Indian River Community College in Florida.

Timothy John Lett, son of James William and Wilda Beatrice (O'Nan) Lett, was born January 5, 1957 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY.

Timothy married Connie ---.

Drury Lee Lett, son of Thomas Edward and Mary Catherine (Wilkerson) Lett, was born November 1899/1902 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY. and died February 9, 1978 in Orlando, Orange Co., FL. He was buried February 14, 1978 in the Rose Lawn Cemetery, Henderson, KY. The conflict in his date of birth stems from the 1900 Census, which shows 1899, and his obituary, which states he was 78 years old.

Drury married Eunice Ball in 1924 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY. Eunice was buried January 6, 1986 in the Rose Lawn Cemetery, Henderson, KY.

Drury was named deputy sheriff of Henderson Co., KY on August 23, 1929 and served until November 21, 1929. He helped operate the Henderson News Agency with his brother, Thomas.

Children of Drury L. and Eunice (Ball) Lett:

i. Geraldine Lett, b. August 10, 1926 Henderson, KY., m. William W. Chunn Jr.

ii. Alfred Eugene Lett, b. February 23, 1931 Henderson, KY., m. Forist Sims

Geraldine Lett, daughter of Drury Lee and Eunice (Ball) Lett, was born August 10, 1926 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY. She currently resides in Harrisburg, IL.

Geraldine married William Walton Chunn Jr., son of William Walton and Stella Armenia (Matthews) Chunn, on September 10, 1947 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY. William was born May 23, 1922. He was an officer in the U.S. Navy 1943-1946 on the LST 668 in the Pacific. Later served as band director at Malan Jr. High in Harrisburg, IL.

Geraldine is a retired teacher and holds a B.M.E. degree.

Children of William Walton and Geraldine (Lett) Chunn Jr:

i. Patricia Chantelle Chunn, b. November 28, 1950, m. Larry J. Wallace

ii. Michael Walton Chunn, b. September 20, 1954, m. Susan Jones.

Alfred Eugene Lett, son of Drury Lee and Eunice (Ball) Lett, was born February 23, 1931 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY. He currently resides in Orlando, FL.

Alfred married Forist Snider in 1962 in Daviess Co., KY.

Louisa Adaline Lett, daughter of Drury and Mary Polly (Simmons) Lett, was born circa 1838 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

Louisa married John W. Smith on March 16, 1860 in Robertson Co., TN. John was born circa 1842 in KY., and was a blacksmith.

Lucy Virginia Lett, daughter of Drury and Mary Polly (Simmons) Lett, was born circa 1841 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

Lucy married John Riley Wood on February 22, 1860 in Muhlenberg Co., KY.

Drury Green Lett was born circa 1844 in Mecklenburg Co., VA., and died January 6 1924 in Evansville, Vanderburgh Co., IN. His cause of death was a cerebral hemorhage. He is buried in the Oak Hill Cemetery, Evansville, IN.

Drury married Mary Ellen Pruitt, daughter of James Alexander and Martha A. (Moss) Pruitt, circa 1870. Mary was born December 1853 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY., and died September 29, 1903 in Chicago, Cook Co., IL. She is buried in the Moss Cemetery, Henderson Co., KY. Drury and Mary divorced and she married secondly to ---- Kelsey, probably in Florida.

Drury married secondly Mary Secilia Evans on in Evansville, Vanderburgh Co., IN. Mary was born in 1856 and died July 30, 1933 in Evansville, Vanderburgh Co., IN. She is buried in the Oak Hill Cemetery in Evansville, IN.

Drury settled in Tillotson's Precinct in Henderson Co., KY in 1864 and operated a dry goods store $6\frac{1}{2}$ miles SE of Henderson. He later moved to Evansville, IN and operated an umbrella store at 925 N. Main St. from circa 1890's until 1924. His family history sketch was the basis for this Lett family project.

Drury had two step-daughters, Orad Dougherty and Mrs. J. V. Gentry.

Children of Drury Green and Mary Ellen (Pruitt) Lett:

i. Mattie Dean Lett, b. circa 1872 Henderson, KY., d. May 1948, m. Samuel Sheffield Hutchinson

ii. Robert Drury Lett, b. circa 1875 Henderson, KY., d. 1964, m. Lydia Pennington

iii. James Marion Lett, b. circa 1877 Henderson, KY., d. 1968 , m. Madeline Bissert

iv. Thomas Jefferson Lett, b. June 28, 1879 Henderson, KY., d. December 28, 1879 Henderson, KY.

v. Sarah Blanche Lett, b. November 1, 1880 Henderson, KY., d. 1973, m. Alvah Curtis Roebuck

Census Records

1880 Henderson Co., KY
Lett, D. G., 34, Merchant, b. VA.
Lett, Mollie, 26, wife, b. KY
Lett, Mattie, 8, daughter, b. KY
Lett, Robert D., 5, son, b. KY
Lett, James, 3, son, b. KY

Mattie Dean Lett, daughter of Drury Green and Mary Ellen (Pruitt) Lett, was born circa 1872 in Henderson Co., KY., and died in May 1948.

Mattie married Samuel Sheffield Hutchinson.

Samuel was a pharmicist and bought into the American Film Studio and moved to Santa Barbara, CA. They later divorced. Their home in Chicago donated to Loyola Universisty.

Children of Samuel Sheffield and Mattie Dean (Lett) Hutchinson:

i. James Hobart Hutchinson, m. Margaret Dade, m(2) ---

ii. Winston Sheffield Hutchinson, m. Helen Mesta

Robert Drury Lett, son of Drury Green and Mary Ellen (Pruitt) Lett, was born circa 1874 in Henderson Co., KY.

Robert married Lydia Pennington on June 18, 1896 in Rockport, Spencer Co., IN.

According to the 1899-1900 Henderson, KY Directory, Robert operated a transfer wagon at 124 2nd Street.

Children of Robert Drury and Lydia (Pennington) Lett:

i. Gladys Marie Lett, m. Arthur Bamond.

ii. Dena Green Lett, m. Walter Theodore Leander.

Gladys Marie Lett, daughter of Robert Drury and Lydia (Pennington) Lett, was born

Gladys married Arthur Bamond.

Children of Arthur and Gladys Marie (Lett) Bamond:

i. Robert Bamond, m. Isabel Yost

ii. Beverly Bamond

Dena Green Lett, daughter of Robert Drury and Lydia (Pennington) Lett, was born , and died September 1994.

Dena married Walter Theodore Leander

Children of Walter Theodore and Dena Green (Lett) Leander:

i. Shirley Mae Leander, m. James Charles Sucy.

ii. Nancy Carol Leander, m. James Mabes.

James Marion Lett, son of Drury Green and Mary Ellen (Pruitt) Lett, was born circa 1876 in Henderson Co., KY.
James married Madeline Bissert.
They lived in Cleveland, OH.
Children of James Marion Lett:
i. Roland Green Lett, m. Patricia Russell
ii. Russell Marion Lett, m. Jane Furbre

Roland Green Lett, son of James Marion Lett, was born
Roland married Patricia Russell.
Roland attended Howell Military Academy
Roland lived in Salt Lake City, UT.

Children of Roland Green and Patricia (Russell) Lett:

i. David Russell Lett

David Russell Lett, son of Roland Green and Patricia (Russell) Lett, was born

Russell Marion Lett, son of James Marion Lett, was born
Russell married Bernice ---, in Chicago, IL.
Russell married secondly to Jane Furbre.
Russell married thirdly to Marian ---
Russell attended Howell Military Academy.
Children of Russell Marion and Jane (Furbre) Lett:
i. Richard Randolph Lett
ii. Susan Ann Lett
Children of Russell Marion and Marian (--) Lett:
i. Gaye Lett

Richard Randolph Lett , son of Russell Marion and Jane (Furbre) Lett, was born

Children of Richard Randolph Lett:

i. Peter Lett

Susan Ann Lett, daughter of Russell Marion and Jane (Furbre) Lett, was born

Susan married --- Morrison

Thomas Jefferson Lett, son of Drury Green and Mary Ellen (Pruitt) Lett, was born July 28, 1879 in Henderson Co., KY., and died December 28, 1879 in Henderson Co., KY. He is buried in the Moss Cemetery, Henderson Co., KY.

Sarah Blanche Lett, daughter of Drury Green and Mary Ellen (Pruitt) Lett, was born November 1, 1880 in Anthoston, Henderson Co., KY., and died in 1950's in California.

Blanche married Alvah Curtis Roebuck, son of Samuel and Mary (---) Roebuck. Alvah was born January 9, 1864 in Lafayette, Tippecanoe Co., IN., and died in 1948.

Alvah went to work for Richard W. Sears as a watchmaker in 1887 and became a partner in 1891. Together they founded the Sears & Roebuck Co. in 1893. Alvah sold his share of the company in 1895, but continued to work there until 1924. In 1933, he returned to the company to work in public relations.

Alvah also worked for the Woodstock IL Typewriter Co., and at one time lived in Evanston, IL. He was a Christain Scientist.

Children of Alvah Curtis and Sarah Blanche (Lett) Roebuck:

i. Lucille Mae Roebuck, m. Raymond H. Keller

ii. Alvah Curtis Roebuck Jr., m. Charity Virginia Ward

Roberta Angeline Lett was born circa 1847 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

Roberta married A. Henry Green on March 30, 1865 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY.

Polley Lett, daughter of Joseph and Faithy (Nance) Lett, was born circa 1783 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

Polley married Moody Vaughn on July 11, 1800 in Mecklenburg Co., VA. This may not be the same Polley.

Polley married Matthew H. Davis on December 22, 1801 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

Jiney Lett, daughter of Joseph and Faithy (Nance) Lett, was born circa 1787 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

This daughter's name was derived from the reading of her father's will, but indications are that she is the same as Jane or Janie Lett, mentioned later.

Dolley Lett, daughter of Joseph and Faithy (Nance) Lett, was born circa 1793.

Dolley married Daniel W. McDaniel on February 5, 1818 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

Janie Lett, daughter of Joseph and Faithy (Nance) Lett, was born circa

Janie married Charles Hutcheson on November 13, 1821 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

According to the settlement of Joseph Lett Sr.'s estate, she died without heirs.

Della Lett, daughter of Joseph and Faithy (Nance) Lett, was born circa

Della married --- Wood.

There is no other record of her except her mention in the sketch of Drury Green Lett. I believe that he was in error.

Patsy Lett, daughter of Joseph and Faithy (Nance) Lett, was born circa 1770.

Patsy married Batte [Bartholomew] Short on May 30, 1791 in Mecklenburg Co., Va.

She was apparently deceased at the time of her father's will, and Bartholomew Short was not liked at all by Joseph Lett Senior. See his will for details.

Probable children of Bartholomew and Patsy (Lett) Short:

i. Betsey Hardaway Short.

Frances Lett, a possible daughter of Joseph and Faithy (Nance) Lett, was born

Frances married William Parrish on December 30, 1786 in Mecklenburg Co., VA.

She may have been a daughter from an earlier marriage of Joseph.

Mecklenburg-Lunenburg-Brunswick Co. VA

Mecklenburg Co. VA was formed from Lunenburg Co. in 1764. Lunenburg was in turn formed out of Brunswick Co. in 1746. Since the earliest record of Joseph Lett is found in Mecklenburg Co., I have reason to believe that these other Letts are closely related to Joseph. The following records are by no means conclusive.

Francis Lett, possible grandfather of Joseph Lett, married Amy ---. Early records place him in Brunswick Co., VA and then in Lunenburg Co. He is referred to as a Colonial Soldier of Lunenburg Co., VA., and may have received land for service during the French and Indian War. Francis is listed in the 1752 Tithe List of Lunenburg Co. Francis is listed as a landowner in Precint 5 of Lunenburg Co. in 1759. Listed as a resident of Cumberland Parish, Lunenburg Co., VA in 1760 along with John Lett, James Lett Sr., James Lett Jr., and Isham Lett. No will has yet been found.

Probable children of Francis and Amy (--) Lett:

i. John Lett (see page 8-3??)
ii. James Lett (see page 8-4??)
iii. Isham Lett
iv. Frankie [Frances] Lett

LAND RECORDS

Brunswick Co., VA. Deed Book 3, p. 458 [1742?] Francis Lett to Joseph Cannon, 200 acres; part of 380 acres granted to Francis in 1741?

Brunswick Co., VA. Deed Book 3, p. 52. [1744] Francis Lett of Saint Andrews Parish to John Daniell, 180 acres.

Lunenburg Co., VA. Deed Book 1, p. 351. [12 Sept. 1748] John Watson to Francis Lett; 100 acres on north side of middle fork of Miles Creek.

Lunenburg Co., VA. Patent Book 33, p. 59. [16 Aug. 1756] 325 acres along Miles Creek adjoining Holmes

Lunenburg Co., VA. Deed Book 5, p. 109 [1757] Francis Lett to James Lett, 137 acres.

Lunenburg Co., VA. Deed Book 5, p. 107 [1757] Francis Lett to John Lett, 137 acres.

Brunswick Co., VA Deed Book 3

This indenture made this First day of August Anno Domini MDCCXLII [1742] Between Francis Lett of the Parish of Saint Andrew in the County of Brunswick of the one part and Joseph Cannon of the Parish of Bath in Prince George County of the other part; Witnesses that the said Francis for and in Consideration of the sum of Thirty five pounds Current mony of Virginia to him in hand paid or Secured to be paid at or before the Sealing and Delivery of these presents, Hath Granted, Bargained and Sold and by these presents doth Grant, Bargain and Sell unto the said Joseph his heirs and assigns all that Tract or parcel of Land --- lying and being in the County of Brunswick on the south side of Great --- branch Containing by estimation two hundred acres more or less and bounded as it was Laid off by Agreement of John Daniel and the said Francis --- persons being present at the same as being part of three hundred eighty acres of Lande heretofore granted to the said

Francis by Letters patent bearing date at Williamsburg under the Seal of the Colony the fifteenth day of March MDCCXLI [1741] By which letters patents the said Land was granted to the said Franci his heirs and Assigns for Ever. And Also all and Singular the Apportenance to the said Tract of Land Respectively belonging and the Reversion and Reversions, Remainder and Remainders thereof and of every part and parcel thereof and All the Estate Right, Title and Interest of him the said Francis of in said to the Land aforesaid or any part or parcel of the same To have and To Hold all and singular the said Land and premises with their Appurtenences unto the said Joseph his heirs and assigns to the only proper use and behoof of him the said Joseph his heirs and assigns for ever. And the said Francis for himself and his heirs the said Land and premisies with their and every of the apputenences to the said Joseph and his heirs and assigns Shall and will warrant and forever Defend by these presents against all persons whatsoever and the said Francis for himself and his heirs doth grant, Covenant and Agree to and with the said Joseph his heirs and assigns that he the said Francis at the time of the Sealing and Delivery of these presents is and stands Seized of and Indefeatable Estate in his Simple of and in the premises and that he hath good Right to Sell and Convey the same in Manner and form aforesaid and that the same shall forever remain to the said Joseph his heirs and assigns freely Exonerated from all manner of other Bargains, Sales, Title of Dower and all other Rights and Estates whatsoever. In Witness whereof the said Francis hath hereunto set his hand and affixed his seal the Day and Year above mentioned.

Francis Lett, his mark

Signed Sealed and Delivered in Presece of:
Thomas Hardaway, Junior
Richard Haynes
John Davis

John Lett, possible father or uncle of Joseph Lett, of Lunenburg Co., VA., listed as a private in the militia under Major. William Caldwell in September 1758. John is listed as a land owner in Lunenburg Co., VA Precint 5 in 1759. John appears on the 1764 Tithables of St. James Parish in Lunenburg Co., VA.

John married Jean Winfield on November 24, 1777 in Brunswick Co., VA. His will was filed in 1787 in Brunswick Co., VA. and listed wife Jean, son-in-law Edward Winfield, daughter-in-law Mary Jordan, dauther-in-law Martha Walker, and sister Frankie [Frances]

John was an impressement officer for supplies during the Revolution in 1780 in Brunswick Co., VA. John filed a claim in Brunswick Co. VA in 1782 for 375 lbs. of beef valued at ± 3, 10 shillings, 1½ pence that was lost during the Revolution.

Note: these records for John Lett seem to indicate two separate Johns, or his marriage to Jean Winfield could have been a second marriage.

Probable children:

i. Joseph Lett Sr. (Chapter 1)

LAND RECORDS

Lunenburg Co., VA., Patent Book 28, p. 230 [1747] John patents 232 acres on north side of Miles Creek.

Lunenburg Co., VA., Deed Book 2, p. 85 [1749] John Lett of Province of North Carolina to Nathaniel Cook

Mecklenburg Co., VA., Deed Book 3, p. 421 [1772] John Lett to Joseph Lett, sold 137 acres John had purchased from Francis Lett; originally granted to Francis Lett in 1756.

WILL OF JOHN LETT
Brunswick Co., VA Book 5, p. 191

In the name of God Amen. I John Lett of County of Brunswick and Parish of Meherrin being very sick and weak but of a perfect sound and disposing mind and memory and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die, do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament in the following manner.

My Soul I give to God who gave it being, hoping through the Merits of our blessed Lord Jesus Christ for Salvation, and with regard to the Worldly Good it hath please God to bestow on me I dispose of in the manner follwing.

Impremis it is my desire that all my just Debts be paid and that my body be decently interred according to the discretion of my Executors.

Item. I leave unto my loving Wife Jean Lett during her life or widowhood the following Slaves: Harry, Charles, fellows Phillis, Amy, Nan and Hannah and after my wife's death, it my desire that they may be Divided as follows.

Item. I give unto my Son in Law Edward Winfield, Amy and

Hannah and to his heirs and assigns forever.

Item. I give unto my Daughter in Law Mary Jordan, Charles and Phillis to her heirs and assigns forever.

Item. I give unto my Daughter in Law Martha Walker, Harry and Nan and to her heirs and assigns forever.

Item. I give and bequeath unto my Sister Frankie Lett two negroes named Violet and Judah and to her heirs and assigns forever. These two negroes to remain on the Plantation until the present crop is finished.

Item. I give and bequeath unto my loving wife Jean Lett all my stock of Cattles, Horses, Hogs, Sheep also all the Plantation untesils, also all the household and kitchen furniture of what kind and nature so ever to her own disposal also the Crops at present on the ground.

I do constitute and appoint my friend Henry Walker and John Jordan Executors of this my last Will and Testament declaring this to be my last and revoking and annuling all otheres by me heretofore made.

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this twenty fifth day of September Domino Anno Domi one thousand seven hundred and eighty six.

John Lett, his mark

Signed Seled Published and Declared in the Presecen of:
Allen Love
Benjamin Walker.

Brunswick Count Court the 22nd Day of January 1787. This will was proved by the oath of Benjamin Walker a witness thereto (who also swore that he saw Allen Love the other witness thereto, who is since dead, subscribe his name as such in the presence of the Testator) and ordered to be Recorded. And on the motion of Henry Walker one of the executors therien named who made oath therto according to Law, Certificate is granded him for obtaining a Probate thereof in due form.

James Lett Sr., of Lunenburg Co., VA., listed as a private in the militia under Major William Caldwell in September 1758.

James is listed in the 1752 Tithe List of Lunenburg Co., VA., with son John Dean Lett. James is listed as a landowner in precint 5 of Lunenburg Co., VA in 1759. James is also listed in the 1764 Tithables of St. James Parish of Lunenburg Co., VA.

Probable children:
i. John Dean Lett
ii. James Lett

LAND RECORDS

Lunenburg Co., VA. Patent Book 33 [16 Aug 1756] Patented 190 acres on branch of Mountain Creek adjoining Lett, Tabb and Clack.

Mecklenburg Co., VA. Deed Book 1, p. 419 [1766] James Lett to William Holmes

Mecklenburg Co VA Deed Bk 1

This Indenture made made this Twenty first of November One Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty Six and in the sixth year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George the third by the grace of god of Great Britain, France and Ireland King defender of the Faith etc. Between James Lett of Saint James Parish and County of Mecklenburg of the one Part and William Holmes of the Parish and County aforesaid of other part Witness that the said Lett for and in Consideration of the sum of Twenty pounds Current money to him in hand paid at and before the ensealing and Delivery of these Presents by the said William Holmes the receipt thereof he the said James Lett doth hereby Acknowledge and himself therewith Satisfied and Contended and thereof and every part and parcell thereof doth Exonerate aquit and Discharge the said Holmes his Heirs Executors and administrators forever by these Presents hath given Granted Bargained Sold Aliend and Confirmed by these Presents doth freely fully and Absolutely give grant Bargain Sell Alien and Convey and Confirm unto the Said Holmes his Heirs and Assigns forever one certain tract or parcell of Land Containing One Hundred and thirty seven acres more or less Situated Lying and Being in the Parish and County aforesaid and Bounded as follows (to wit) Beginning at John Huskeys Corner upon a Branch of Watsons Creek thence up the said branch to a Corner old Between Capt Robert Ruffin and Reuben Cooks line

and James Lett's thence along Cooks line to his Corner Will along Cooks line to a Corner in Brodnaxes line then along Brodnax Line to John Whittamores Corner thence along Whittamores line to a new Corner thence along a new line to Corner White Oak upon a branch of Watson's thence down the said branch abt Weanders to Huskeys Corner thence along Huskeys lines to the Corner where we first Begun the same being a tract or parcell of Land Conveyed to the said Lett by his Father Francis Lett and the Reversions and Reversions Remainder and Remainders thereof and every part and parcell thereof to have and to hold the said Granted and Premises with all the Appurtenances Priviledges and Commodities to the same belonging or in any wise Apportaining to him the said Holmes and his Heirs and Assigns for ever, to his and their own proper use Benniftt and behoof for ever and the said Lett for himself his Heirs Executors and Administrators doth Promise Covenant and Grant to and with the said Holmes his Heirs and Assigns That before ensealing Delivery hereof the Said Lett is the true Sole and Lawful Owner of the above granted and bargained Premises and that he Stands Lawfully Seized and Possesed of the same in his own proper Right as a good Perfect and absolute Estate of Inheritance in his simiple and hath in himself Good Right full power and Lawfull authority to grant Bargain Sell Convey

and Confirm the said Bargained Premises and that the said Holmes his Heirs and Assigns shall and may from time to time and at all times forever thereafter by force and Virtue of these Presents lawfully Peacefully and Quietly have use Occupy possess and enjoy the said Demises and bargained Premises and all other Appurtenance free and Clear and freely and Clearly as Quited Exonerated and Discharged of and from all manner of former or other Gifts Grants bargains Sales Leases Mortgages Wills entails — Dower Judgements Executors Incumbrances and extents whatsoever furthermore the said Lett doth hereby Covenant and Engage and Warrant the above demissed premises and will forever against the Lawfull Claim or Demand of any Person or whatsoever In Witness whereof the said Lett hath hereunto ~~set~~ his hand and Seal the day and year above Written.

Seeled and Delivey in Presence of — James Lett his mark

Wennington: John Begg
Sack Pennington: Anna Pennington
John Lett

Memorandow that Quiet Peacable Portion was this day had and Taken of the ~~the~~ within mentioned Land and Premisses of the with Named Lett and by him Delivered to the with named Holmes according to the Tennor and Effect of The Written Deed — James Lett his mark

Wennington: John Begg
Sack Pennington: Anna Pennington — John Lett

James Lett Jr., of Mecklenburg Co., VA., listed in 1787 Personal Property Tax List A with 1 slave, 3 horses and 4 cattle. In 1800 Personal Property Tax List, he is listed with his son, James Lett Jr.

James married Lucy Hubbard on March 14, 1780 in Brunswick Co., VA.

James' will is filed in Mecklenburg Co., VA. Will Book 5, p. 57. Mentions wife Lucy, sons James Lett, Matthew Hubbard Lett (see chapter 9-TN), Ambrose Lett, John Lett and Robert Lett; daughters Sally Lett and Lucy Lett; granddaughter Mason. Proved 13 June 1803.

A James Lett was paid for military service to Virginia on May 27, 1784, but this may be the James Lett listed as a NC or SC Patriot (see Chapter 9)

A James Lett Jr. was listed as a landwoner in 1759 in Precint 5 of Lunenburg Co., VA. Either this is a different James, or this James had two marriages and would have been about seventy years old when he died.

Children of James and Lucy (Hubbard) Lett:

i. John Lett
ii. Robert Lett
iii. James Lett
iv. Matthew Hubbard Lett (See Chapter 9)
v. Ambrose Lett (See Chapter 9)
vi. Sally Lett
vii. Lucy Lett

LAND RECORDS

Mecklenburg Co., VA. Deed Book 6, p. 249. [1783] David Adams to James Lett

Mecklenburg Co., VA. Deed Book 8, p. 129. [1792] John Bugg to James Lett

WILL OF JAMES LETT
Mecklenburg Co., Va. Book 5

In the name of God, Amen. December 20th 1802. I James Lett of Mecklenburg County being sick and weak of body but of perfect mind and memory thanks be given unto almighty God for the Same do make and ordain this my last will and Testament in manner and form following.

Item. I give unto my beloved wife Lucy Lett on feather bed and furniture the one we lay on.

Item. I give unto my son James Lett one feather bed and furniture to be to him and his heirs forever.

Item. I give unot my son Matthew Hubbard Lett one feather bed and furniture when he comes of age to him and his heirs forever.

Itme. I give unto my daughter Sally Lett one feather bed and furniture when she comes of age to be to her and her heirs forever.

Item. I give unto my son Ambros Lett one feather bed and furniture when he comes of age to be to him and his heirs forever.

Item. I give unto my daughter Lucy Lett one feather bed and furniture when she comes of age to be to her and her heirs forever.

My will and desire is that my land shall be sold by my executors to pay all my Just Debts and then the rest of the money to be applied to the buying of land for the support of my wife and children: James Lett, Matthew Hubbard Lett, Sally Lett, Ambros Lett and Lucy Lett. I desire that my wife should have the said lands during her widowhood and at her death or marriage the said lands to be sold and the money equally divided among my children before mentioned. I lend to by beloved wife three negroes (towit) Bette, Silva and Ted during her life or widowhood they and their increase at her death or marriage the said negroes before mentioned to be sold and equally divided between my children last mentioned. Yet my desire is also that one yoke of steers and eleven heads of sheep should be sold for the support of my family.

Item. I give unto my granddaughter Mason twenty shillings.

Item. I give unto my son John Lett ten dollars.

Item. I give unto my son Robert Lett ten dollars.

I also desire that all my stock of every kind Horses, Cattle and Hoggs, all my Household kitchen furniture and plantation utensils too tedious to mention to be sold and the money arising from the sale to equally divided between my five children first mentioned at the death or marriage of my beloved wife. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hands and affixed my seal the date and year first above mentioned.

James Lett, his mark

In Presence of:
William Hutchison
Ambros Hutchison
Jordan Hightower

I also desire that John Hubbard, James Lett, Lucy Lett to be my Executors.

At a Court held for Mecklenburg County the 13th day of June 1803.

This will was proved by the oaths of William Hutchison, Ambros Hutchison and Jordan Hightower witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded. And on the motion of John Hubbard one of the executors therein named who made oath thereto and together with Henry Pennington his securites entered into and acknowledge their bonds in the penalty of five thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs Certificate was granted him for obtaining probate of the said will in due form liberty being reserved for the other executor and executrix therein named to join in probate when they shall think fit.

William Baskerville, clerk

Mecklenburg Co VA Deed Book 8

This Indenture made this Ninth Day of April in the year of our Lord One thousand Seven hundred and Ninety two Between John Bugg of Mecklenburg Country Planter of one part and James Lett of the said County of the other part Witnesseth that the said John Bugg for and Inconsideration of the sum of Eighteen pounds of Good and Lawfull Money of Virginia, to him in hand paid by the said James Lett before the Sealing and Delivering of these presents hath Bargained Sold Alien and Confirmed and by these presents doth bargain sell alienate and Confirm unto the said James Lett a Certain Tract or parcel of Land lying in Mecklenburg County Containing by Estimination Thirty Acres Be it more or less Bounded as follows to wit, Beginning at a corner Red Oak on Taylors Creek in Cheathams Line there along Cheathams line to a Corner Red Oak on Speeds line thence along Letts line to head of Taylors Creek thence down the Creek to the Beginning and the Reversion and Reversions Remainder and Remainders Right Estate Benefit Claim Demand of in or to the same or any part Those of to have and to hold to him the said James Lett his Heirs Executors Administrators or Assigns forever and the said John Bugg for himself and his Heirs and Assigns will Warrant and forever Defend the said ~~James Lett to him~~ Tract of Land from all persons Whatsoever to the only Use and Behoof of him the said James Lett to him and his

heirs and Assigns forever. IN Witness Whereof the said John Bugg hath hereunto set his hand and Seal the Day and Year above Written &i

John Bugg

Signed Sealed and
Delivered in Presence of
James Wilson
Thomas Tanner
John Harvess

April the 9th Day One Thousand Seven Hundred and Ninety Two Memoradum that Quiet and peacible Possession was this day had and taken of the within mentioned land and premises of the within named John Bugg to the within named James Lett According to the Tenor and Effect of the within Written Deed

John Bugg

Matthew H. Lett appears in 1840 Census, p. 275. Believe he is Matthew Hubbard Lett, son of James and Lucy (Hubbard) Lett (Chapter 8). Matthew was born circa 1780-1790 and probably died before 1850.

Matthew married Mary E. ---, born circa 1790 in Pennsylvania and died after 1860 in Mississippi Co., MO.

This Lett family moved to Missouri circa 1848, based on census records.

Children of Matthew Hubbard and Mary E. (---) Lett:

i. William Lett, b. 1810 TN, d. ca 1866, m. Elizabeth --- m(2) Nancy Ann ---.

ii. Sarah Lett, b. 1812 TN, m. --- Blevins

iii. Ambrose Lett, b. November 25, 1815 TN, d. March 1863, m. Amelia Jane Clayton

iv. John W. Lett, b. 1818 TN, m. Brunetta Campbell

v. Matthew H. Lett

vi. George W. Lett, b. April 2, 1830 TN, d. October 7, 1865 MO, m. Elizabeth McCall

vii. Eliza Lett, b. ca. 1810-1820, m. Tennessee Cooper

viii. Catherine Lett, m. --- Shanault

William Lett, son of Matthew Hubbard and Mary E. (--) Lett, was born circa 1810 in Tennessee and died between December 15, 1865 and January 2, 1866 in Mississippi Co., Missouri, when he will was written and probated.

William married Elizabeth ---. Elizabeth was born circa 1815 in North Carolina.

William married secondly to Nancy Ann ---

William appears in the 1850 and 1860 Census of Mississippi Co., MO. as a farmer.

Children of William and Elizabeth (--) Lett:

i. Mary E. Lett, b. 1848 in Tennessee

WILL OF WILLIAM LETT
Mississippi Co., MO.

I, William Lett of the County of Mississippi and State of Missouri being weak and fibl in body but of sound mind and disposing memory do hereby make declare and publish this my last will and testament as follows.

1st. It is my will and desire that all of my just debts and my funeral expenses first be paid.

2nd. I give and bequeath with my wife Nancy Ann Lett all of the bedsteads, beds and bedding and household and kitchen furniture with all the looms, spinning wheals, spun cotton and wool and all made up cloth that may belong to me at the time of my death. I also give and bequeath to my said wife my cows Pedi Star White face and Bloss (?) and their increase and also three sows and pig, 8 ton good shoots and all of my sheep.

3rd. I give and bequeath to my step-daughter, Permelia Ally my brown mease kit (?)

4th. I will and desire that the rest of my personal property of whatever shall after having been advertised ten days by my executor be sold at public auction for cash and that the proceeds of such sale after paying my just debts and funeral expenses as above named and the expense of administration be equally divided between my wife Nancy Ann Lett and my step daughter Permelia Alley and my nephews, Benjamin F., Matthew H., William C., and John A. Lett, sons of my brother John W. Lett and my nephews John, William and Matthew H. Lett, sons of my deceased brother, Ambrose Lett.

5th. I give bequeath and divise with my said nephews, Benjamin F., Matthew H., William C. and John A. Lett (sons of John W. Lett) their --- assigns forever following lands to wit eighty acres the norht half of the north east quarter of section nine, the north west quarter of the north west quarter of section ten, the south half of the south west quarter of the south west of section three, the south half of the south east quarter of the sourth east quarter of section four, all in township twenty six north of range fifteen east - also eighty acres of land which I purchased sale of real estate belonging to W.B. Bush --- and --- in all about two hundred and forty acres being all

the land belonging to me in the north side of --- running through my farm. It is my will and desire that my brother John W. Lett shall use the above described land for his own benefit until his said sons become of age when it shall be given up to them and equally diveded between them.

6th. I give, devise and bequeath to my nephews, John Lett, William Lett and Matthew H. Lett (sons of my deceased brother Ambrose Lett) and thru him and assigns forever. The south half of north east quarter of section nine, the south west quarter of the north west quarter of section ten, the north west quarter of the south east quarter of section nine in township twenty six north of range fifteen east. Also my undivided half of eighty acres of swamp lands purchased by me and my brother Ambrose Lett containing in all two hundred acres more or less.

Being all the land I won running on south side of --- running through my farm except on hundred acres heretofore bequeathed to Permelia Alley.

7th. I give, bequeath and devise unto my step-daughter, Permelia Alley, on hundred acres of land to be taken off the south side of the north west quarter of section five township twenty-five, range fifteen it being the land dwelled on by George Whitcomb.

8th. Feeling satisfied the wants of my mother Mary Lett will be attented to by her children and grandchildren I do not give her anything beyond what she has always received from me.

9th. Not feeling the daughters of my deceased brother Ambrose Lett have any claim on me and that they are sufficiently provided for out of their fathers estate, I give them nothing.

10th. Not feeling that the children of my brothers Matthew H. Lett and George Lett and of my dec'd sisters Sarah Blims, Eliza Cooper, and Catherine Shenault have any particular claim on me or mine I give them nothing.

11th. Fully remembering all of my relatives, I have bequeathed my property to those only whom conduct and the conudt of whose parents to me cause me to wish them to enjoy a portion of the hard earnings of my lifetime. I do herebey constitute and appoint John W. Lett and Joseph C. Moore the executors of this my last will and testament.

In witness of all which I have hense put my hand this December 15, 1865. William Lett

Mary E. Lett, daughter of William and Elizabeth (--) Lett, was born circa 1848 in Tennessee. Apparently had died by 1865, as she was not mentioned in father's will.

Sarah Lett, daughter of Matthew Hubbard and Mary E. (---) Lett, was born circa 1812 in Tennessee.

Sarah married --- Blevins.

Ambrose Lett, son of Matthew Hubbard and Mary E. (---) Lett, was born November 25, 1815 in Tennessee and died March 1863 in Mississippi Co., Missouri. He is buried in the Oak Grove Cemetery.

Ambrose married Amelia "Millie" Jane Clayton. Amelia was born July 3, 1821 in North Carolina and died June 4, 1894 in Bertrand, Mississippi Co., MO. Amelia married secondly to Henry Fletcher.

Children of Ambrose and Amelia Jane (Clayton) Lett):

i. Mary Jane Lett, b. January 18, 1842 TN, m. George Otto Weicker

ii. John Lett, b. April 12, 1843 TN, d. September 18, 1914 Long Prairie, MO., m. Mary Jane Hainline

iii. Lovina Catherine Lett, b. 1845 TN, m. Robert Blandford

iv. William Lett, b. November 6, 1847 MO., m. Mary J. ---

v. Louisa Elizabeth Lett, b. March 20, 1850 MO., m. Marion Francis

vi. Lucinda Lett, b. February 20, 1852 MO

vii. Amanda Catherine Lett, b. December 6, 1853 MO., d. 1853 MO.

viii. Martha Adaline Lett, b. August 25, 1856 MO., m. Isaac Golightly

ix. Matthew Hubbard Lett, b. October 26, 1858 MO., d. January 3, 1927 Mangum, OK., m. Isabelle Stephens

Mary Jane Lett, daughter of Ambrose and Amelia Jane (Clayton) Lett, was born January 18, 1842 in Tennessee.

Mary married George Otto Weicker on January 6, 1859 in Mississippi Co., MO.

John Lett, son of Ambrose and Amelia Jane (Clayton) Lett, was born April 12, 1843 in Tennessee and died September 18, 1914 in Long Prairie, Mississippi Co., MO.

John married Mary Jane Hainline on February 6, 1857 in Mississippi Co., MO. Mary was born in 1843 in Missouri.

Children of John and Mary Jane (Hainline) Lett:

i. Lucinda Lett, b. 1868 MO
ii. Robert Lett, b. February 1870 MO
iii. Tom L. Lett, b. 1872 MO
iv. Elbert E. Lett
v. John R. Lett
vi. Leonard Lett, b. 1877 MO
vii. Laura Lett, b. October 1879 MO

Lovina Catherine Lett, daughter of Ambrose and Amelia Jane (Clayton) Lett, was born in 1845 in Tennessee.

Lovina married Robert Blandford on October 21, 1863 in Mississippi Co., MO.

William Lett, son of Ambrose and Amelia Jane (Clayton) Lett, was born November 6, 1847 in Missouri.

William married Mary J. ---.

Lucinda Lett, daughter of Ambrose and Amelia Jane (Clayton) Lett, was born February 20, 1852 in Missouri.

Louisa Elizabeth Lett, daughter of Ambrose and Amelia Jane (Clayton) Lett, was born March 20, 1850 in Missouri.

Louisa married Marion Francis on August 6, 1867 in Mississippi Co., MO.

Virginia LETT Records

York Co. (formed 1634; formerly Charles River Co.)

Eliza Lett, sponsored by Lewis Burwell and Thomas Haws, immigrated to Virginia in 1648.

John Lett, sponsored by Joseph Croshaw, immigrated to Virginia in 1651.

Mary Lett, sponsored by Joseph Croshaw, immigrated to Virginia in 1651.

Northumberland Co. (formed 1648 from Indian Territory)

Leonard Lett, sponsored by Mrs. Anna Bernard, immigrated to Virginia in 1651.

Gloucester Co. (formed 1651 from York Co.)

Thomas Lett, sponsored by Mrs. Anna Barnett, immigrated to Virginia in 1652.

Prince George Co. (formed 1700 from Charles City VA)

John Lett inventoried the estate of John Mellis in February 1713. Witnessed deed between John Hamelin and Culbert Williams 1714. Witnessed deed March 1716. Administrator of estate of Sarah & Roger Drayton on February 10, 1718. On account list of Capt. Henry Duke estate, June 13, 1727.

Berkeley Co. (formed 1772 from Frederick Co. VA; now in WVA)

Anthony Lett married Mary Blois on January 15, 1785.

Amelia Co. (formed 1734 from Brunswick & Prince Georges Co)

Nance Lett married Caty Phillips circa October 1787. In list of minister's returns of Rev. Simeon Walton.

Isle of Wight (formed 1634; an original Shire)

John Lett witnessed will of Giles Tidmash on July 30, 1728.

Spotsylvania Co. (formed 1720 from Essex, King & Queen, King William Cos.)

Nance Lett and 2 sons appear in 1810 VA Census Supplement compiled from tax lists.

Grayson Co. (formed 1792 from Wythe, Patrick Cos)

James Lett appears in 1810 VA Census Supplement compiled from tax lists.

King & Queen Co. (formed 1691 from New Kent Co.)

Arthur Letts appears in 1704 Quit Rent with 475 acres.

Henrico Co. (formed 1634; an original Shire)

John E. Lett married Elizabeth Childers on September 23, 1858.

Hardy Co. (formed 1785 from Hampshire Co., VA; now WVA)

Israel Lett married Sarah or Sally Smith on October 23, 1821.

Caleb Lett appears on 1840 Census. (not read)

Cabell Co. (formed 1809 from Kanawha Co., VA; now WVA)
Joseph Lett in 1820 Census P 86A
Lucinda Lett married Isaiah Perdue on February 28, 1816.
Nance Lett in 1820 Census P 86A
Rockingham Co. (formed 1778 from Auguasta Co.)

Annfield Lett appears in 1870 Census (not read)

Frederick Co. (formed 1738 from Orange & Augusta Co.)

John Lett appears in 1870 Census (Not read)

Samuel Lett appears in 1870 Census (not read)

Charles City Co. (formed 1634 an original Shire)

John Lett ordered to appear in court against Richard Lewellin April 3, 1689. Sued by Capt. William Randolph August 1689, ordered to pay judgement to Capt. William Randolph & Capt. Francis Epes for 2709 lbs. of tobacco for balance of bill dated 18 Jan 1686 on 3 October 1689. Confessed judgement to Mr. Richard Kennon for 495 lbs. of tobacco on 3 October 1689. Elizabeth Vigars, servant of John Lett, ordered to receive 29 lashes for stealing pork & beef on Feb. 3 1689. Confessed judgement to Nathan Bacon for 50 Shillings and 500 lbs. of tobacco on 3 April 1690. Granted attachment to estate of Richard Vigars for 400 lbs. of tobacco on June 12, 1690. Granted judgement against William Bowman for bay mare and colt that was stolen from him; also received 1 chest, 1 feather bed, one bolster, 2 pillows, 1 rug, 1 pair of blankets, 1 set of Kidderminster curtains, which had been stolen on January 5, 1690. Confessed judgement to John Jean for 400 lbs. of tobacco

on November 10, 1691. Served on grand jury 1693. Owed estate of Richard Bradford, June 16, 1724.

Tennessee LETT Records

Carroll Co. (formed 1821 from the Western District)

John Lett was born circa 1820. Living in Carroll Co. TN in 1880. Also in household were Luvella Lett, born circa 1835 TN and John G.G.P. Lett, b. circa 1862 TN.

Martha Lett appears in 1840 Census p. 68., with 1 male aged 10-15, 1 female aged 15-20, 1 female aged 40-50, and 1 female aged 50-60.

Susan Lett appears in 1840 Census p. 67.,(not read)

George Lett was born circa 1825 TN. Living in Carroll Co. in 1850. Married Elizabeth ---, b. circa 1830 TN.

Martha Lett was born circa 1794 GA. Living in Carroll Co. in 1850. Also in household were Susannah Lett, b. circa 1820 TN and Nancy J. Lett, b. circa 1846 TN.

Susannah Lett was born circa 1800 NC. Living in Carroll Co. TN in 1850. Also in household were Mary A. Lett, b. circa 1817 TN, Jesse W. Lett, b. circa 1819 TN, John W. Lett, b. circa 1822 TN, and Elizabeth Lett, b. circa 1823 TN.

Wellbourn Lett was born circa 1827 in Alabama. Living in Carroll Co., TN. in 1850.
Wellbourn married Martha ---, b. circa 1830 in Alabama.
Children of Wellbourn and Martha (---) Lett:
i. Savina Lett, b. circa 1849 TN

Jessee Lett was born circa 1790 in North Carolina. Living in Carroll Co., TN. in 1850. Also in household were Ann Lett, b. circa 1820 TN, Nancy Lett, b. circa 1833 TN, James Lett, b. circa 1836 TN, Jessee Lett, b. circa 1838 TN, Susannah Lett, b. circa 1843 TN, Elizabeth L. Lett, b. circa 1845 TN, and Samuel N. Lett, b. circa 1847 TN.

John Lett was born circa 1820 in Tennessee. Living in Carroll Co., TN. in 1850.
John married Mima ---, b. circa 1826 TN.

Franklin Co. (formed 1807 from Bedford & Warren Cos.)

Jesse Lett Sr. appears in 1820 Census with one male aged 26-44 yrs., 1 female 16-25 yrs., and 1 female 45 yrs. and over.

Warren Co. (formed 1807 from White Co.)

John H. Lett appears in 1820 Census with one male 16-25

yrs., 1 male 45 yrs. and over, 1 female under 10 yrs., 2 females 10-15 yrs., 2 females 16-25 yrs., and 1 female 45 yrs. and over.

Rheuben Lett appears in 1840 Census p. 275. (not read)

McMinn Co. (formed 1819 from Indian Lands)

Ambrose Lett appears in 1830 Census, p. 181. (not read) Probably the son of James and Lucy (Hubbard) Lett. (chapter 8)

Anderson Co. (formed 1801 from Knox Co.)

Elizabeth Lett appears in 1830 Census, p. 184. (not read)

John Lett appears in 1830 Census, p. 183. (not read)

William Lett appears in 1830 Census, p. 184. (not read)

James Lett appears in 1840 Census, p. 21. (not read)

John Lett appears in 1840 Census, p. 9. (not read)

James Lett was born circa 1807 or 1808 in Tennessee. Living in Anderson Co. in 1850. Living in Union Co. in 1860.
James married Rebecca ---, b. circa 1816 in Tennessee.
Children of James and Rebecca (---) Lett:
i. Lucinda Lett, b. circa 1833 or 1835 TN
i.. Francis C. Lett, b. circa 1836 TN
iii. James Lett, b. circa 1837 TN
iv. Sarah or Sally Lett, b. circa 1840 or 1841 TN
v. Elizabeth Lett, b. circa 1843 or 1844 TN
vi. Robert Lett, b. circa 1846 or 1848 TN
vii. Louisa Lett, b. circa 1848 TN
viii. Eliza Lett, b. ca 1849 TN
ix. Malinda Lett, b. ca 1855 TN
x. Rufus Lett, b. ca. 1857 TN

Franklin Lett, born circa 1835, appears in 1870 Census, p. 6.

Montgomery Co. (formed 1796 from Tennessee Co.)

Jonathan Lett appears in 1830 Census, p. 32. (not read)

Cannon Co. (formed 1836 from Coffee, Warren & Wilson Cos.)

James Lett appears in 1840 Census, p. 137. (not read)

Marion Co. (formed 1817 from Indian Lands)

Matthew H. Lett appears in 1840 Census, p. 275. Believe

he is Matthew Hubbard Lett, son of James and Lucy (Hubbard) Lett (Chapter 8). Matthew was born circa 1780-1790 and probably died before 1850.

Matthew married Mary E. ---, born circa 1790 in Pennsylvania and died after 1860 in Mississippi Co., MO.

This Lett family moved to Missouri circa 1848, based on census records.

Children of Matthew Hubbard and Mary E. (---) Lett:

i. William Lett, b. 1810 TN, d. ca 1866, m. Elizabeth --- m(2) Nancy Ann ---.

ii. Sarah Lett, b. 1812 TN, m. --- Blevins

iii. Ambrose Lett, b. November 25, 1815 TN, d. March 1863, m. Amelia Jane Clayton

iv. John W. Lett, b. 1818 TN, m. Brunetta Campbell

v. Matthew H. Lett

vi. George W. Lett, b. April 2, 1830 TN, d. October 7, 1865 MO, m. Elizabeth McCall

vii. Eliza Lett, b. ca. 1810-1820, m. Tennessee Cooper

viii. Catherine Lett, m. --- Shanault

William Lett, son of Matthew Hubbard and Mary E. (--) Lett, was born circa 1810 in Tennessee and died between December 15, 1865 and January 2, 1866 in Mississippi Co., Missouri, when he will was written and probated.

William married Elizabeth ---. Elizabeth was born circa 1815 in North Carolina.

William married secondly to Nancy Ann ---

William appears in the 1850 and 1860 Census of Mississippi Co., MO. as a farmer.

Children of William and Elizabeth (--) Lett:

i. Mary E. Lett, b. 1848 in Tennessee

Mary E. Lett, daughter of William and Elizabeth (--) Lett, was born circa 1848 in Tennessee. Apparently had died by 1865, as she was not mentioned in father's will.

Sarah Lett, daughter of Matthew Hubbard and Mary E. (---) Lett, was born circa 1812 in Tennessee.

Sarah married --- Blevins.

Ambrose Lett, son of Matthew Hubbard and Mary E. (---) Lett, was born November 25, 1815 in Tennessee and died March 1863 in Mississippi Co., Missouri. He is buried in the Oak Grove Cemetery.

Ambrose married Amelia "Millie" Jane Clayton. Amelia was born July 3, 1821 in North Carolina and died June 4, 1894 in Bertrand, Mississippi Co., MO. Amelia married secondly to Henry Fletcher. on July 23 1868 Miss Co MO

Children of Ambrose and Amelia Jane (Clayton) Lett):

i. Mary Jane Lett, b. January 18, 1842 TN, m.

George Otto Weicker

ii. John Lett, b. April 12, 1843 TN, d. September 18, 1914 Long Prairie, MO., m. Mary Jane Hainline
iii. Lovina Catherine Lett, b. 1845 TN, m. Robert Blandford
iv. William Lett, b. November 6, 1847 MO., m. Mary J. ---
v. Louisa Elizabeth Lett, b. March 20, 1850 MO., m. Marion Francis
vi. Lucinda Lett, b. February 20, 1852 MO
vii. Amanda Catherine Lett, b. December 6, 1853 MO., d. 1853 MO.
viii. Martha Adaline Lett, b. August 25, 1856 MO., m. Isaac Golightly
ix. Matthew Hubbard Lett, b. October 26, 1858 MO., d. January 3, 1927 Mangum, OK., m. Isabelle Stephens

Mary Jane Lett, daughter of Ambrose and Amelia Jane (Clayton) Lett, was born January 18, 1842 in Tennessee.
Mary married George Otto Weicker on January 6, 1859 in Mississippi Co., MO.

John Lett, son of Ambrose and Amelia Jane (Clayton) Lett, was born April 12, 1843 in Tennessee and died September 18, 1914 in Long Prairie, Mississippi Co., MO.
John married Mary Jane Hainline on February 6, 1857 in Mississippi Co., MO. Mary was born in 1843 in Missouri.
Children of John and Mary Jane (Hainline) Lett:

i. Lucinda Lett, b. 1868 MO
ii. Robert Lett, b. February 1870 MO
iii. Tom L. Lett, b. 1872 MO
iv. Elbert E. Lett
v. John R. Lett
vi. Leonard Lett, b. 1877 MO
vii. Laura Lett, b. October 1879 MO

Lovina Catherine Lett, daughter of Ambrose and Amelia Jane (Clayton) Lett, was born in 1845 in Tennessee.
Lovina married Robert Blandford on October 21, 1863 in Mississippi Co., MO.

William Lett, son of Ambrose and Amelia Jane (Clayton) Lett, was born November 6, 1847 in Missouri.
William married Mary J. ---.

Louisa Elizabeth Lett, daughter of Ambrose and Amelia Jane (Clayton) Lett, was born March 20, 1850 in Missouri.
Louisa married Marion Francis on August 6, 1867 in Mississippi Co., MO.

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Lucinda Lett, daughter of Ambrose and Amelia Jane (Clayton) Lett, was born February 20, 1852 in Missouri.

Amanda Caroline Lett, daughter of Ambrose and Amelia Jane (Clayton) Lett, was born December 6, 1853 in Missouri and died in 1853 in Missouri.

Martha Adaline Lett, daughter of Ambrose and Amelia Jane (Clayton) Lett, was born August 25, 1856 in Missouri.

Martha married Isaac Golightly on July 30, 1871 in Mississippi Co., MO.

Matthew Hubbard Lett, son of Ambrose and Amelia Jane (Clayton) Lett, was born October 26, 1858 in Missouri and died January 3, 1927 in Mangum, Greer Co., OK.

Matthew married --- ---.

Matthew married secondly to Isabelle Stephens.

Children of Matthew Hubbard and --- (---) Lett:

i. Albert M. Lett, b. 1884 MO, d. 1940's or 1950's, m. Flora B. Crawford

ii. Frank Lett

Children of Matthew Hubbard and Isabelle (Stephens) Lett:

iii. Ella Fay Lett, b. 1893, d. November 1951, m. James Will Henderson

iv. Eunice Catherine Lett, b. March 6, 1897 St. Joseph, MO., d. March 4, 1925 Norman, OK., m. Robert Thurman Payne

v. Stella Lett, b. 1899 MO, d. 1955, m. Thomas Jefferson Tinsley

vi. Helen Lett, b. 1902, d. 1990 Mangum, OK., m. Walker J. Copeland

vii. Josephine Lett, d. July 4, 1934 Oklahoma City, OK, m. Charles Ernest Abel

viii. Robert G. Lett, m. Lena Mae ---

ix. Hazel Lett, b. 1910, d. 1984, m. Ed Greer

John W. Lett, son of Matthew Hubbard and Mary E. (---) Lett, was born in 1818 in Tennessee.

John married Brunetta Campbell on August 1, 1850 in Scott Co., MO. Brunetta was born in 1819 in Tennessee.

Children of John W. and Brunetta (Campbell) Lett:

i. Benjamin F. Lett, b. 1847 TN

ii. Matthew Hubbard Lett, b. 1853 MO, d. October 1874, St. Louis, MO.

iii. William Clay Lett, b. 1859 MO, d. 1923 Bertrand, MO., m. Elizabeth Green

iv. John A. Lett, b. 1860 MO

Matthew H. Lett, son of Matthew Hubbard and Mary E. (--) Lett, was born in Tennessee. Said to have stayed in Tennessee and had children.

George W. Lett, son of Matthew Hubbard and Mary E. (--) Lett, was born April 2, 1830 in Tennessee and died October 7, 1865 in Mississippi Co., MO.

George married Elizabeth McCall on September 25, 1856 in Mississippi Co., Mo. Elizabeth was born in 1832 in Tennessee. She married secondly to Thomas A. Owens.

Children of George W. and Elizabeth (McCall) Lett:

i. Milly Lett, b. 1853 MO

ii. Catherine Lett, b. 1857 MO

iii. Matthew H. Lett, b. February 1859 MO, m. Martha M. Moore

Eliza Lett, daughter of Matthew Hubbard and Mary E. (---) Lett, was born circa 1810-1820 in Tennessee.

Eliza married Tennessee Cooper

Catherine Lett, daughter of Matthew Hubbard and Mary E. (---) Lett, married --- Shanault.

Gibson Co. (formed 1823 from Western District)

A.S. Lett was born circa 1830 in Tennessee. Living in Gibson Co. in 1850.

A.S. married Elizabeth ---, b. circa 1830 in Tennessee.

Jonathan Lett was born circa 1797 in North Carolina. Living in Gibson Co. in 1850.

Jonathan married Sarah ---, b. circa 1809 in Tennessee.

Children of Jonathan and Sarah (--) Lett:

i. Robert Lett, b. circa 1829 TN

ii. Joseph Lett, b. circa 1832 TN

iii. Stephen Lett, b. circa 1834 TN

iv. Eliza Lett, b. circa 1836 TN

v. Udora Lett, b. circa 1838 TN

vi. Mourning Lett, b. circa 1840 TN

vii. Mildred Lett, b. circa 1842 TN

viii. Marchus Lett, b. circa 1844 TN

ix. Mary Lett, b. circa 1846 TN

x. Sarah Lett, b. circa 1848 TN

Elizabeth Lett, b. circa 1856, appears in 1860 Census.

John Lett was born circa 1787. Living in Gibson Co. in 1860. John married Sarah ---, b. ca. 1809.

Children of John and Sarah (---) Lett:

i. Lafayette Lett, b. ca 1834

ii. Anna Lett, b. ca. 1836

iii. Sarah Lett, b. ca. 1838

iv. Mettie Lett, b. ca. 1843

Joseph Lett, b. circa 1835 appears in 1860 Census.

S. J. Lett was born circa 1834. Living in Gibson Co. in 1860.
S. J. married Martha ---, b. circa 1838.
Children of S. J. and Martha (---) Lett:
i. Robert Lett, b. ca. 1858

Johnson Lett, b. circa 1797, appears in 1870 Census, p. 536. (not read)

Licurgis Lett, b. circa 1835, appears in 1870 Census, p. 535 (not read)

Stephen Lett, b. circa 1835, appears in 1870 Census, p. 450. (not read)

Knox Co.

William Lett was born circa 1799. Living in Knox Co. in 1860.
William married Susan ---, b. ca. 1828.
Children of William and Susan (---) Lett:
i. Sarah Lett, b. ca. 1857
ii. Martha Lett, b. ca. 1859/60 (6 mo. old)

Obion Co.

J. H. Lett, born circa 1826, appears in 1860 Census along with B. E. Lett, born circa 1824.

Van Buren Co.

Jefferson Lett, born circa 1851, appears in 1860 Census.

White Co.

J. K. P. Lett, born circa 1846, appears in 1860 Census.

Union Co.

James D. Lett, born circa 1837, appears in 1860 Census, along with Malinda Lett, born circa 1836.

James H. Lett, born circa 1838, appears in 1860 Census.
James married Nancy ---, born circa 1838.
Children of James H. and Nancy (---) Lett:
i. Rufus Lett, b. ca. 1854.

John Lett, born circa 1799, appears in 1860 Census.

John married Jane ---, born circa 1807.
Children of John and Jane (---) Lett:
i. Caroline Lett, b. ca. 1842
ii. F. C. Lett (male), b. ca. 1835
iii. William Lett, b. ca. 1842
iv. John Lett, b. ca. 1842
v. Jacob Lett, b. ca. 1849
vi. Lewis Lett, b. ca 1853

John C. Lett, born circa 1856, appears in 1860 Census.

F. C. Lett, born circa 1845, appears in 1870 Census, p. 255.

James Lett, born circa 1810, appears in 1870 Census, p. 257.

John Lett, born circa 1798, appears in 1870 Census, p. 257.

Nancy Lett, born circa 1832, appears in 1870 Census, p. 258.

Haywood Co.

J. L. Lett, born circa 1832, appears in 1870 Census, p. 384.

Campbell Co.

Joseph Lett, born circa 1831, appears in 1870 Censu, p. 4. (see below)

William Lett was born circa 1802 in Virginia and died 1874 in Campbell Co., TN. He appears in the 1840-1870 Census records of Campbell Co., TN.

William married Sarah Dagley, daughter of Joseph and Grace (---) Dagley, circa 1828 in Anderson or Campbell Co., TN. Sarah was born circa 1810 in Tennessee and died circa 1886 in Campbell Co., TN.

Children of William and Sarah (Dagley) Lett:

i. Joseph Lett, b. circa 1830 Campbell Co., TN, m. Sarah A. Miller

ii. Cynthia Lett, b. December 1831 Campbell Co., TN., d. January 6, 1914, m. Lewis F. Jones

iii. Melinda Lett, b. circa 1836 Campbell Co., TN., m. Crawford Housley

iv. Nancy L. Lett, b. circa 1837 Campbell Co., TN., d., September 3, 1887, m. Henry H. Snodderly

v. Martha Lett, b. crica 1840 Campbell Co., TN., m. Alfred Melton

vi. Eliza Louis Lett, b. circa 1842 Campbell Co., TN., m. Alvis Melton

vii. Sarah Lett, b. circa 1843 Campbell Co., TN, m. Samuel Robbins

viii. William Lett, b. circa 1844 Campbell Co., TN., d. September 22, 1912, m. Hester A. Green

ix. John R. Lett, b. March 1846 Campbell Co., TN., d. March 30, 1910, m. Sarah E. Smith

x. Minerva J. Lett, b. circa 1849 Campbell Co., TN.

xi. Louis M. Lett, b. circa 1851 Campbell Co., TN., d. 1921, m. Martha A. Woodson

John R. Lett, son of William and Sarah (Dagley) Lett, was born March 1846 in Campbell Co., TN. and died March 30, 1910 in Los Angeles, CA. He is buried in Los Angeles CA.

John was a Civil War Veteran with the Union Army.

John married Sarah Ann Elizabeth Smith, daughter of Sidney and Mary Ann (McDaniel) Smith, on January 28, 1872 in Nodaway Co., MO. Sarah was born January 9, 1852 in Nodaway Co., MO., and died October 6, 1939 in Pueblo, CO.

John married secondly to Julia Overman.

Children of John R. and Sarah Ann Elizabeth (Smith) Lett:

i. Benjamin F. Lett, b. November 21, 1873 Nodaway Co., MO., d. September 2, 1874.

ii. James Sidney Lett, b. August 30, 1874 Nodaway Co., MO., d. November 24, 1938, m. Martha Johnson

iii. William Tecumseh Sherman Lett, b. January 23, 1880 Nodaway Co., MO., d. September 28, 1928, m. Anna Moultray

iv. John Wesley Lett, b. January 17, 1882 Nodaway Co., MO., d. October 23, 1918, m. Donnie Dove Mozingo

v. Louis Blaine Lett, b. May 18, 1884 Nodaway Co., MO., d. December 30, 1970, m. Anna Mary Groenke

vi. female Lett

vii. female Lett

Louis Blaine Lett, son of John R. and Sarah Ann Elizabeth (Smith) Lett, was born May 18, 1884 in Nodaway Co., MO. and died December 30, 1970 in Colorado Springs, Co.

Louis married Anna Marie Groenke, daughter of August and Augusta (Dudeck) Groenke, on February 10, 1909 in St. Joseph, Buchanan Co., MO. Anna was born July 23, 1888 in St. Joseph, Buchanan Co., MO., and died July 26, 1959 in St. Joseph, Buchanan Co., MO.

Children of Louis Blaine and Anna Marie (Groenke) Lett:

i. August John "Jack" Lett, b. March 20, 1910 St. Joseph, MO., d. May 13, 1986, m. Alice Catherine Lyon

ii. Norma Jean Lett, b. May 19, 1912 St. Joseph, MO.

iii. Ona Marie Lett, b. Septmber 9, 1914 St. Joseph, MO.

iv. Donald Lett, b. Decmeber 30, 1917 Fort Morgan, CO., d. January 8, 1918

v. Doris Dean Lett, b. February 19, 1919 Kansas City, KS., m. Vincent N. Kilkenny

vi. Duane Louis Lett, b. February 1, 1922 Helena , MO., d. September 22, 1932

vii. Loren Blaine Lett, b. June 13, 1924 Cosby, MO., m. Doris E. (Cox) Phillips

viii. Charles Orval Lett, b. November 2, 1926 Cosby, MO., m. Bula Rose Collins Gibson

ix. Anita Lett, b. October 11, 1928 St. Joseph, MO., d. October 11, 1928

x. Juanita Lett, b. October 11, 1928 St. Joseph, MO., d. October 11, 1928

xi. Eula Ann Lett, b. August 20, 1930 St. Joseph, MO.

Loren Blaine Lett, son of Louis Blaine and Anna Mary (Groenke) Lett, was born June 13, 1924 in Cosby, Andrew Co., MO. and currently lives in St. Joseph, MO.

Loren married Doris Evelyn Cox, daughter of Edward K. and Bernice Clara (Agler) Cox, on November 6, 1964 in St. Joseph, Buchanan Co., MO. Evelyn was born on December 27, 1927 in Mount City, Holt Co., MO. She was previously married to Charles L. Phillips.

Children of Loren Blaine and Doris Evelyn (Cox) Lett:

i. Christine Ann Lett, b. January 3, 1969 St. Joseph, MO., d. January 3, 1969 St. Joseph MO.

Indiana LETT Records

Spencer Co. (formed 1818 from Warrick & Perry Cos.)

Mahala Lett married David Alexander on December 24, 1865.

Pike Co. (formed 1817 from Gibson & Perry Cos.)

Isaac Lett was born circa 1836 in Indiana.
Isaac was living in Pike Co. in 1870.
Isaac married Mary Jane ---, born circa 1841 in Indiana.
Children of Isaac and Mary Jane (---) Lett:
i. Luella Lett, b. circa 1858 IN
ii. Emma Lett, b. circa 1862 IN
iii. Orlan Lett, b. circa 1864 IN
iv. Effa Lett, b. circa 1865 IN

James Lett was born circa 1847 in Indiana.
James was living in Pike Co. in 1870.
James married Sarah ---., born circa 1852 in Indiana.

Emory Lett was born circa 1834 in Indiana.
Emory was living in Pike Co. in 1870.
Emory married Angeline ---, born circa 1838 in Indiana.
Children of Emory and Angeline (---) Lett:
i. Idola Lett, b. circa 1862 IN
ii. Arzette Lett, b. circa 1864 IN
iii. Asa Lett, b. circa 1866 IN
iv. Areal Lett, b. circa 1867 IN
v. Zele Lett, b. circa 1869 IN

John A. Lett, son of Randall and Sarah (Tyndall) Lett, was born circa 1810 in Kentucky. (Logan Co. KY??)
John was living in Pike Co. in 1850.
John married Mary Thomas on October 20, 1831 in Pike Co., IN.
John married secondly to Luisa ---.
Children of John A. Lett:
i. Isaac Lett, b. circa 1834 IN
ii. Sylvester Lett, b. circa 1836 IN
iii. Lemila Lett, b. circa 1841 IN (male)
iv. Alvin Lett, b. circa 1843 IN
v. James Lett, b. circa 1845 IN
vi. Sarah Lett, b. circa 1848 IN
vii. Randle Lett, b. circa 1847 IN

Mary Lett was born circa 1785 in South Carolina.
Mary was living in Pike Co. in 1850.

Jane Conn Lett was born circa 1783 in South Carolina.
Jane was living in Pike Co. in 1850.

Jane was the widow of Randle Lett.

Randle Lett came from Kentucky in 1813 to what is now Pike Co., IN. He may have been originally from Georgia. (see Wilkes Co. GA) His wife was Sarah Tyndall. The 1st Baptist Church was founded in 1816 at his home.

Jesse Lett married Priscilla Alford on April 23, 1820 in Pike Co., IN.

Whitfield Lett married Elizabeth Halbert on March 17, 1833 in Pike Co., IN.

Randle Lett married Jane Conn on November 31, 1831 in Pike Co., IN.

Alvin Lett was born circa 1845 in Indiana . Living in Pike Co. in 1870.
Alvin married Roxanna ---, born circa 1847 in Indiana.
Children of Alvin and Roxanna (---) Lett:
i. Mary Lett, b. circa 1869 IN

Acy Lett was born circa 1809 in Kentucky. Living in Pike Co. in 1870.
Acy married Elizabeth ---, born circa 1832 in Ohio.
Children of Acy and Elizabeth (---) Lett:
i. John M. Lett, b. circa 1854 IN
ii. Harvey Lett, b. circa 1856 IN
iii. Ellen Lett, b. circa 1852 IN
iv. Eva M. Lett, b. circa 1869 IN

Randal Lett appears in 1820 Census, p. 298 with 2 males under 10 yrs., 1 male 10-15 yrs., 1 males 16-15 yrs, 1 male 45 yrs & over, 3 females under 10 yrs., 2 females 10-15 yrs., 1 females 16-25, and 1 female 26-44 yrs.

Elmer Otis Lett married Eva Pencke or Pecka.
Children of Elmer Otis and Eva (Pencke/Pecka) Lett:
i. A. C. James Lett
ii. Lewis E. Lett, b. April 4, 1916 Pike Co., IN
iii. Asa N. Lett, b. June 7, 1917 Pike Co., IN
iv. Edward Moseby Lett, b. May 4, 1919 Algiers, Pike Co., IN., d. 1985, m. Abbie T. Knowles

Jennings Co. (formed 1817 from Jefferson & Jackson Cos.)

Isham Lett appears in 1820 Census, p. 78 with 3 males under 10 yrs., 1 male 26-44 yrs., 2 females under 10 yrs., and 1 female 26-44 yrs.

Thomas Newton Lett (son of Jessy??) was born circa 1820. He moved to MO. in 1860's, d. in Kansas in 1883.

Kentucky LETT Records

Logan Co.

Randle Lett granted land in 1803 from Robert Campbell, 200 acres near Muddy River. Randle & wife Sallie sold to Robert Williams 150 acres in 1813. Sold 200 acres to Presley Morehead in 1815. Randle was an charter member of Center Baptist Church in 1810; made clerk of church in 1812. See Pike Co. IN.

Union Co.

John J. Lett, Civil War Veteran, Farrier Co. "L", 10th KY Volunteer Calvary. Enrolled August 13, 1862. Mustered in September 9, 1862 at Covington, KY. Mustered out September 17, 1863 at Maysville, KY.

Kenton Co.

Jacob E. Lett, Civil War Veteran, Private, Co. "A", 1st Batallion, 41st enrolled militia. Mustered in September 4, 1862. Mustered out October 4, 1862.

Joseph Lett, Civil War Veteran, Private, Co. "F", 41st enrolled militia. Mustered in September 4, 1862. Mustered out October 4, 1862.

Hoster Lett appears in 1840 Census, p. 263. (not read)

Jacob Lett appears in 1860 Census, p. 634. (not read)

James Lett was born circa 1815 in Kentucky. Living Kenton Co. in 1850.
James married Mary A. ---, born circa 1824 in Kentucky.
Children of James and Mary A. (---) Lett:
i. James T. Lett, b. circa 1847 KY.

Margaret Lett appears in 1860 Census, p. 733. (not read)

William Lett appears in 1860 Census (not read)

Lawrence Co.

John Lett appears on 1890 Special Census of KY Veterans, Bear Creek Pct. No. 12, p. 78.

Sarah Jane Lett married Alvin White on March 26, 1889.

McCracken Co.

Whitfield Lett was born circa 1812 in Kentucky. Living

Dubois Co. (formed 1818 from Pike Co.)

Jessy Lett appears in 1820 Census, p. 38 with 1 male 16-25 yrs., 1 female under 10 yrs., and 1 female 16-25 yrs.

Vanderburgh Co. (formed 1818 from Gibson, Posey & Warrick Cos.)

Colin Louis E. Lett married Gladys Bennett on August 5, 1915.

Albert Lett, aged 60, d. November 8, 1907 Evansville

Elliot R. Lett, aged 45, d. November 26, 1918 Evansville

Louise A. Lett, aged 47, d. July 18, 1915 Evansville

Sylvester D. Lett, aged 72, d. April 15, 1913 or 1915 Evansville.

North Carolina LETT Records

Wilkes Co. (formed 1777 from Surry Co.)

Reuben Lett married Catherine Parsons on February 19, 1831. William Watts, bondsman.

Reuben Lett appears in 1840 Census, p. 56. (not read)

Reuben Lett appears in 1850 Census, p. 365. (not read)

Harvey Lett appears in 1850 Census, p. 365. (not read)

Harvey Lett was married in 1850.

Warren Co. (formed 1779 from Bute Co.)

Lucy Lett married Allen B. Pritchford on October 1, 1839.

William Lett will filed in 1895, Book 5, p. 432.

Orange Co. (formed 1752 from Bladsen, Granville & Johnston Cos.)

Sarah Lett married James Moore on June 12, 1797.

Chatam Co. (formed 1770 from Orange Co.)

A. J. Lett will filed in 1895, Book F, p. 3.

William B. Lett married Sarah Pennington on July 3, 1861.

Andrew Lett appears in 1850 Census, p. 449 (not read)

Thomas Lett appears in 1810 Census, p. 189 (not read)

Jane Lett appears in 1850 Census, p. 468. (not read)

Anson Co. (formed 1750 from Bladen Co.)

Thomas Lett mentioned in land patent of John Barnes 30 Augu. 1753, 500 acres near Thomas Lett.

Moore Co. (formed 1784 from Cumberland Co.)

John Lett will filed in 1846, Book B, p. 155.

John Lett appears in 1810 Census, p. 612. (not read)

--- Lett appears in 1820 Census, p. 303. (not read)

James Lett appears in 1840 Census, p. 186. (not read)

John Lett appears in 1840 Census, p. 194. (not read)

James Lett appears in 1850 Census, p. 201. (not read)

Jemima Lett appears in 1850 Census, p. 205. (not read)

Cumberland Co. (formed 1754 from Bladen Co.)

John W. Lett will filed in 1875, Book E., p. 47.

William S. Lett appears in 1840 Cenus, p. 302. (not read)

Halifax Co. (formed 1758 from Edgecombe Co.)

John Lett witnessed will of Thomas Bull dated 22 May 1762.

Archibald Lett witnessed will of John McClellan 11 Sept. 1797.

Edgecombe Co.

John Lett patents 600 acres in 1743.

NC PATRIOTS

James Lett was born in 1747 and died in 1828. Married Patty Whitfield. Served as a private on NC Line. Enlisted 20 June 1780 for 3 years in Lytle's Co.

South Carolina LETT Records

96 District Spartanburg Co. (formed 1785 from Dist. 96)

Elizabeth Lett appears in 1790 Census with 2 males under 16, and 2 females.

SC PATRIOTS

James Lett, Pension # S38912, NC Line, applied for pension on April 1822, aged 73, living in Spartanburg, SC. Could be same as James Lett, NC Patriot.

Georgia LETT Records

Richmond Co. (formed 1777 from St. Paul's Parish)

Martha Lett appears in the 1850 Census. (not read)

Chatam Co.

John T. Lett appears in 1790 Tax Digest

Wilkes Co.

Daniel Lett appears in 1793 Tax Digest with 1 male over 21.

Isham Lett appears in 1793 Tax Digest with 1 male over 21.

James Lett appears in 1793 Tax Digest with 1 male over 21.

John Hardaway Lett appears in 1793 Tax Digest with 1 male over 21.

Randal Lett appears in 1793 Tax Digest with 1 male over 21.

Warren Co.

James Lett appears in 1794 Tax Digest.

Alabama LETT Records

Montgomery Co.

Newton Lett appears in 1850 Census, p. 102 (not read)

Chambers Co.

Wyatt Lett appears in 1850 Census, p. 305. (not read)

McCracken Co. in 1840 & 1850 (1840 not read).

Whitfield married Elizabeth Halbert on March 17, 1833 in Pike Co., IN. (see Pike Co. IN) Elizabeth born circa 1811 in Kentucky.

Whitfield was a grocer. Name suggests relationship to James Lett, NC Patriot.

G.W. Lett was born circa 1828 in Kentucky. Living McCracken Co. in 1850.

G.W. married Lucinda ---, born circa 1833 in Tennessee.

W. Lett appears in 1860 Census, p. 733 (not read) Probably this is Whitfield Lett, above.

Fulton Co.

Robert E. Lett was born circa 1832 in Virginia. Living in Fulton Co. in 1850.

Robert married Lucy ---, born circa 1837 in Virginia.

Children of Robert E. and Lucy (--) Lett:

i. Malissa Lett, b. circa 1849 KY.

Harrison Co.

Isham Lett married Elizabeth Wells on January 24, 1811.

Owen Co.

Balam Lett appears in 1820 Census, p. 99 (not read)

Daniel Lett appears in 1820 Census, p. 101. (not read)

Campbell Co.

James Lett appears in 1820 Census, p. 5. (not read)

Hancock Co.

Remus Lett appears in 1860 Census, (not read)

Mary Lett appears in 1870 Census, p. 211. (not read)

Nicholas Co.

William Lett appears in 1860 Census, (not read)

Fleming Co.

John S. Lett appears in 1860 Census, p. 733 (not read)

A. N. Lett was born 1877 in Indiana. His parents were both from Indiana.

A. N. married Elizabeth Waller Haag, in 1902 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY. Elizabeth was born in Kentucky.

Source:
Henderson Co. Marriage Records

A. T. Lett sued Lyon & Davis Bros. in Henderson Co., KY Court, date April 1886, July 1888 & July 1890

Sources:
Henderson Co., KY Court Records

Richard T. Lett was born in 1906 in Linton, Greene Co., IN. His parents were Ellery and Edna (Tislow) Lett.

Richard married Jeannie B.D. DeVare in 1945 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY. They both had been previously married.

Sources:
Henderson Co., KY Marriage Records

O. S. Lett was born September 19, 1865 in Indiana and died December 4, 1911 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY. He is buried in Warrick Co., IN.

Source:
Henderson Co. KY Death Records

Check IN Census 1870

J. L. Lett was born circa 1877 and died January 7, 1904 in Henderson, Henderson Co., KY. According to Henderson Co. Death Records, his parents were unknown, and he was buried in the Fernwood Cemetery. Fernwood Cemetery has no record of his burial.

Sources:
Henderson Co. Death Records

look for obituary
Check coroner's office

Nance Lett was born circa 1764 in Virginia and died after September 13, 1850 and before November 11, 1857 in Wayne Co., VA.

Nance married Mary Catherine Phillips m. Oct 1787 Amelia Co VA. Mary was born circa 1766.

Children of Nance and Mary (---) Lett:

i. Hager Lett, b. ca. 1786, m. --- Cornhill.
ii. Joseph Lett, b. ca. 1790 VA, m. Susannah Pauley.
iii. Thomas Lett, b. ca 1793 VA.
iv. Patsey Lett, b. ca 1795 VA.,
v. Lucinda ~~"Sally"~~ Lett, b. ca. 1800 VA., m. Isaiah Perdue.
vi Sarah Lett m. James Pesdue

WILL OF NANCE LETT
Wayne Co., VA.

November 11, 1857.

I, Nance Lett, of the County of Wayne and State of Virginia do make this my last will and testament considering all will heretofore made by me void and of no effect.

Item the first I desire all my just debts and funeral expenses to be first paid.

Item the second I give unto my beloved wife Mary Two Hundred Dollars in cash as soon as the Administrator can collect the same from the sale also she is to have all the property that she brought to my house when we were married naming the property 1 feather bed & 6 covers, 3 sheets, 1 chest, 1 trunk and her clothing, 1 tee kittle, 1 puter dish, 1 cow, 1 stear 3 year old.

Item the third, I give unto my daughter Hager Cornhill two hundred dollars in cash also her son George fifty dollars.

Item the fourth, I give unto my daughter Patsey Lett two hundred dollars and her bed and clothing.

Item the fifth, I give unto my grand children Lewis Perdue and Jas. Purdue & Sylvester Perdue & Catherine Hensley and Louisa Whaley, Cintha Ann Perdue one dollar each also Isaiah Perdue one dollar, also I want all my property household and kitchen furniture all my horses cattle hoggs and sheep also my land and farming utentials together with my negros with one negro man nameing then Allen one negro woman Chany one Rachel one call Sarah one boy call All one child called Oliver all to be sold on a twelve month credit with land and proved security, then to be equal divided among my three children Joseph Lett, Thomas Lett and Sally Perdue or their heirs executors or their Administrators with the exception of the three hundred and twelve dollars & 70 cents has to come out of Joseph Letts part first for which he Joseph has given his note for that amount I have also paid for Jas. Perdue twenty one dollars & 20 six cents for which has to come of Sally Perdue part before she gits an equal share and lastly I do appoint James Russell my Executor to this my last will. Given under my hand and seal this 13 day of September 1850.

Sealed and Delivered in the presence of Willis Mc Keand, A.B. McKeand and James Russell.

Hager Lett, daughter of Nance and Mary (---) Lett, was born circa 1786 in Virginia.

Hager married --- Cornhill.

Children of --- and Hager (Lett) Cornhill:

i. George Cornhill.

Joseph Lett, son of Nance and Mary (---) Lett, was born circa 1790 in Virginia.

Joseph married Susannah Pauley, daughter of Edward and Hester Anna (Carleton) Pauley, on July 18, 1817 in Cabell Co., VA. Susannah was born circa 1800 in Virginia and died July 29, 1888 in Wayne Co., VA.

Joseph Lett was a farmer.

Children of Joseph and Susannah (Pauley) Lett:

i. Nancy Lett, b. ca. 1819, m. Miles Jackson

ii. Hager Lett, b. ca. 1825.

iii. Mary "Polly" Lett, b. ca. 1827, m. Clay Stewart

iv. John Lett, b. ca. 1833

v. Hiram Lett, b. ca 1830., m. Mary A. ---.

vi. Lucretia Lett, b. ca. 1834. m. John Hinds

vii. William Lett, b. ca. 1836 m. Mary E. Shingleton, m(2) Sarah Adkins.

viii. Thomas Harrison Lett, b. March 17, 1838, d. January 9, 1903, m. Catherine Altfealer, m(2) Catherine V. Dean.

ix. Benjamin Lett, b. ca. 1840.

x. Joseph Lett, Jr., b. ca. 1842, d. January 17, 1923, m. Elizabeth Fuller.

xi. James Anthony Lett, b. ca. 1845, m. Mary C. Merricks.

xii. Alexander Lett, b. ca. 1849.

Nancy Lett, daughter of Joseph and Susannah (Pauley) Lett, was born circa 1819 in Virginia.
Nancy married Miles Jackson.

Hager Lett, daughter of Joseph and Susannah (Pauley) Lett, was born circa 1825 in Virginia.

Mary Lett, daughter of Joseph and Susannah (Pauley) Lett, was born circa 1827 in Virginia.

Mary married Clay Stewart, son of Michael and Fanny (---) Stewart, on September 11, 1859. Clay was born circa 1818.

John Lett, son of Joseph and Susannah (Pauley) Lett, was born circa 1833 in Virginia.

Hiram Lett, son of Joseph and Susannah (Pauley) Lett, was born circa 1830 in Virginia.

Hiram married Mary A. ---. Mary was born circa 1840 in Virginia.

Children of Hiram and Mary A. (---) Let:

i. Sallie Lett, b. ca. 1855.
ii. Clifton Lett, b. ca. 1857, m. Alice Perdue.
iii. Fern Lett, b. ca. 1858.
iv. Lafayette Lett, b. ca. 1859., m. Martha J. Ferguson.
v. Bill Lett, b. ca. 1862.
vi. Jake Lett, b. ca. 1864.
vii. John Lett, b. ca 1865, m. Cora Fuller
viii. Isabelle Lett, b. ca. 1868, m. George Canaday.
ix. Sarah Lett, b. November 1869
x. Henry Lett, b. November 1869

Sallie Lett, daughter of Hiram and Mary A. (---) Lett, was born circa 1855.

Clifton Lett, son of Hiram and Mary A. (---) Lett, was born circa 1857.

Clifton marrried Alice Perdue, daughter of John and Martha (---) Perdue, on October 3, 1889.

Fern Lett, daughter of Hiram and Mary A. (---) Lett, was born circa 1858.

Lafayette Lett, son of Hiram and Mary A. (---) Lett, was born circa 1859.

Lafayette married Martha J. Ferguson, daughter of James and Sarah (---) Ferguson, on January 3, 1883. Martha was born circa 1862.

Children of Lafayette and Martha J. (Ferguson) Lett:

i. Hiram W. Lett

ii. Corney C. Lett

Hiram W. Lett, son of Lafayette and Martha J. (Ferguson) Lett, was born

Corney C. Lett, child of Lafayette and Martha J. (Ferguson) Lett, was born

Jake Lett, son of Hiram and Mary A. (---) Lett, was born circa 1864.

John Lett, son of Hiram and Mary A. (---) Lett, was born circa 1865.

John married Cora Fuller on August 13, 1890. Cora was born circa 1891.

Isabelle Lett, daughter of Hiram and Mary A. (---) Lett, was born circa 1868.

Isabelle married George Canaday, son of F. and E. (---) Canaday, on May 25, 1881. George was born circa 1860.

Sarah Lett, daughter of Hiram and Mary A. (---) Lett, was born November 1869.

Henry Lett, son of Hiram and Mary A. (---) Lett, was born November 1869.

Lucretia Lett, daughter of Joseph and Susannah (Pauley) Lett, was born circa 1834 in Virginia.

Lucretia married John Hinds, son of Elias and Polly (---) Hinds, on January 16, 1855.

William Lett, son of Joseph and Susannah (Pauley) Lett, was born circa 1836 in Virginia.

William married Mary E. (Staley) Shingleton, daughter of Stephen and Mary (---) Staley, on June 10, 1866. Mary was born circa 1836 and died May 27, 1927. She was previously married to Granville Shingleton, and had a daughter, Alice Shingleton, b. circa 1860.

William married secondly to Sarah (Blevins) Adkins, daughter of Joseph and Hannah (---) Blevins, on October 7, 1877. Sarah was born circa 1832.

Ch:
i. Joseph Lett m. Margaret Fuller

Ch:
i. Lawrence E. Lett m. Georgiannia Pickering

Ch:
i. Asa C. Lett m. Carole Brooks

Thomas Harrison Lett, son of Joseph and Susannah (Pauley) Lett Jr., was born March 17, 1838 in Cabell Co., VA. and died January 9, 1903 in Wayne Co., WVA. He is buried in the Dean Cemetery at 2 Mile, Wayne Co., WVA.

Thomas married Catherine Altfealer, daughter of George and Catherine (---) Altfealer, on February 6, 1874. Catherine died July 5, 1874 in Wayne Co., WVA.

Thomas married secondly to Catherine "Katie" V. Dean, daughter of Stephen and Perlina (---) Dean, on May 23, 1878. Catherine was born April 21, 1848 and died November 19, 1922 in Wayne Co., WVA. She is buried in the Dean Cemetery at 2 Mile, Wayne Co., WVA.

Thomas Lett was a farmer.

Children of Thomas Harrison and Catherine V. (Dean) Lett:

i. Jospeh "Jody" Lett, b. March 22, 1880 Wayne Co., WVA., d. July 1964.

ii. Rosella "Rosa" Lett, b. February 12, 1882 Wayne Co., WVA, d. October 3, 1953 Wayne Co., WVA., m. Patrick Henry Bradshaw.

iii. Thomas Lett, b. March 20, 1884 Wayne Co., WVA.

iv. Helen Lett, b. July 1886, Wayne Co., WVA., d. young.

Joseph "Jody" Lett, son of Thomas Harrison and Catherine V. (Dean) Lett, was born March 22, 1880 in Wayne Co., West Virginia and died July 1964.

Joseph never married.

Rosella "Rosa" Lett, daughter of Thomas Harrison and Catherine V. (Dean) Lett, was born February 12, 1882 in Wayne Co., West Virginia and died October 3, 1953.

Rosella married Patrick Henry Bradshaw, son of Thomas Maxwell and Cynthia (Pyles) Bradshaw, on August 29, 1902.

Children of Patrick Henry and Rosella (Lett) Bradshaw:

i. Willima Maxwell Bradshaw, b. August 18, 1905 Wayne Co., WVA., m. Alice Thompson

ii. Mabel Bradshaw, b. May 31, 1907 Boyd Co., KY, m. Hadwick Ross.

iii. George Wetzel Bradshaw, b. January 21, 1909 Wayne Co., WVA, m. Elizabeth Nelson Maynard

iv. Cynthia Ann Bradshaw, b. March 20, 1911 Boyd Co., KY, m. Wetzel Maynard

v. Patrick Crawford Bradshaw, b. May 23, 1913 Wayne Co., WVA., m. Pauline Darnell.

Thomas Lett, son of Thomas Harrison and Catherine V. (Dean) Lett, was born March 20, 1884 in Wayne Co., West Virginia, and died young.

Helen Lett, daughter of Thomas Harrison and Catherine V. (Dean) Lett, was born July 1886 in Wayne Co., West Virginia, and died young.

Benjamin Lett, son of Joseph and Susannah (Pauley) Lett, was born circa 1840 in Virginia.

Joseph Lett Jr., son of Joseph and Susannah (Pauley) Lett, was born circa 1838 in Virginia and died January 17, 1923 in Wayne Co., WVA.

Joseph married Elizabeth Fuller, daughter of Calvin and Elizabeth (---) Fuller, on October 18, 1866. Elizabeth was born in 1846 in Pike Co., KY.

Joseph and family resided in Kenova, West Virginia.

Children of Joseph and Elizabeth (Fuller) Lett Jr:

i. Victoria Lett, b. ca. 1868, m. George Gilkerson.

ii. Nettie Lett, b. June 6, 1880, d. April 25, 1913, m. William Sherman Copley Bartram.

Nettie Lett, daughter of Joseph and Elizabeth (Fuller) Lett Jr., was born June 6, 1880 in Kenova, West Virginia, and died April 25, 1913 in Kenova, West Virginia.

Nettie married William Sherman Copley Bartram, son of William and Jane (Pack) (Copley) Bartram, on March 1, 1899 in Kenova, West Virginia. William was born May 12, 1872 in Wayne Co., WVA., and died April 24, 1961 at Parma, OH. He remarried to Elizabeth Pyles Smith.

Children of William Sherman Copley and Nettie (Lett) Bartram:

i. William Holt Bartram, b. March 15, 1906 Wayne Co., WVA.

ii. Madge Elizabeth Bartram, b. September 23, 1908 Wayne Co., WVA., m. Roy Cole.

James Anthony Lett, son of Joseph and Susannah (Pauley) Lett, was born circa 1845 in Virginia.

James married Mary C. Merricks, daughter of James W. and Elizabeth (---) Merricks, on March 13, 1866. Mary was born circa 1847. Mary later married C.C. Daniels on January 1, 1874.

Alexander Lett, son of Joseph and Susannah (Pauley) Lett, was born circa 1849 in Virginia.

Thomas Lett, son of Nance and Mary (---) Lett, was born circa 1793 in Virginia.

Patsey Lett, daughter of Nance and Mary (---) Lett, was born circa 1795 in Virginia.

Lucinda "Sally" Lett, daughter of Nance and Mary (---) Lett, was born circa 1800.

Lucinda married Isaiah Perdue Jr., son of Isaiah and Mary Sarah (Belcher) Perdue, on February 28, 1816 in Cabell Co., VA. Isaiah was born circa 1796.

Children of Isaiah and Lucinda "Sally" (Lett) Perdue:

i. Lewis Perdue, b. ca. 1818.
ii. James Burton Perdue, b. ca. 1820, m. Cynthia Malcolm.
iii. Sylvester Perdue.
iv. Cynthia Ann Perdue.
v. Louisa Perdue., b. ca 1828, m. Kellion Whaley.

James Isham Lett was born circa 1747 in Bertie Co., N.C. and died May 20, 1838 in Spartanburg, S.C. According to Mary Kirby of Bella Vista, AR, his parents were John and Mary (--) Lett.

James married Martha "Patty" Whitfield on February 14, 1765 in North Carolina. Martha was born circa 1748 in Guilford Co., N.C. and died circa 1828 in Bertie Co., N.C.

James was a veteran of the Revolutionary War in the North Carolina Line. His pension records are currently being researched. His occupation was that of a farmer.

Children of James Isham and Martha "Patty" (Whitfield) Lett:

i. Daniel Lett, b. 1767 Bertie Co., N.C., d. 1819 Gallatin Co., KY., m. Cynthia ---.

ii. Isom Lett, b. 1768 Bertie Co., N.C.

iii. Mahala Lett, b. Bertie Co., N.C., d. Algiers, Pike Co., IN., m. Rev. Freemas Thomas

iv. Sophia Lett, b. Bertie Co., N.C., m. Rev. -- Hopkins.

v. Randall Lett, b. July 18, 1771 Bertie Co., N.C., d. June 19, 1853 Highbanks, Pike Co., IN., m(1) Matilda Rollon m(2) Sarah Tyndall

Daniel Lett, son of James Isham and Martha "Patty" (Whitfield) Lett, was born circa 1767 in Bertie Co., N.C. and died circa 1819 in Gallatin Co., KY. He is buried in Owen Co., KY.

Daniel married Cynthia ---.
Daniel moved to Kentucky circa 1805.

Other Source Says TN

Isom Lett, son of James Isham and Martha "Patty" (Whitfield) Lett, was born circa 1768 in Bertie Co., N.C.

Mahala Lett, daughter of James Isham and Martha "Patty" (Whitfield) Lett, was born in Bertie Co., N.C. and died at Algiers, Pike Co., IN.

Mahala married Rev. Freemas Thomas.

Sophia Lett, daughter of James Isham and Martha "Patty" (Whitfield) Lett, was born in Bertie Co., N.C.

Sophia married Rev. --- Hopkins.

Randall Lett was born July 18, 1771 in Bertie Co., N.C. and died June 19, 1853 at Highbanks, Pike Co., IN.

Randall married Matilda Rollon.

Randall married Sarah Tyndall on March 7, 1798. Sarah was born in 1782 in Georgia and died December 9, 1829 at Highbanks, Pike Co., IN.

Randall married Jane Conn on November 31, 1831 in Pike Co., IN. (may not be the same Randall)

Randall and Sarah lived in Wilkes Co., GA between 1799-1804, then moved to Logan Co., KY 1804-1813, and after 1813 lived in Pike Co., IN.

The 1st Baptist Church of Pike Co., IN. was founded in 1816 at his home.

Children of Randall and Matilda (Rollon) Lett:

i. Daniel Lett

ii. Elizabeth Lett

Children of Randall and Sarah (Tyndall) Lett:

i. Jesse Lett, b. January 30, 1799 Georgia, d. June 17, 1857.

ii. Matilda Lett, b. June 23, 1801 Georgia, d. June 26, 1803.

iii. Malinda Lett, b. March 13, 1803 Georgia, m. Elias Hays, m(2) Hiram Con

iv. Lucinda Lett, b. March 8, 1805 Kentucky, d. 1882, m. Coleman C. Horrell, m(2) Alan Barber

v. Louisa Lett, b. October 27, 1807 Kentucky, m. Samuel Hollingsworth.

vi. John Asa Lett, b. September 11, 1809 Kentucky, d. October 7, 1890 Algiers, Pike Co., IN., m. Mary Thomas, m(2) Elizabeth Henderson

vii. Whitfield Lett, b. September 11, 1811 Kentucky, m. Elizabeth Postelwaite.

viii. Lourena Lett, b. October 16, 1813 Kentucky, m. Jacob Cosby.

ix. Sinia Lett, b. September 7, 1815 Pike Co., IN., d. September 13, 1890, m. Leavn Ward.

x. Newton Lett, b. January 10, 1817 Pike Co., IN.

xi. Warden Cornelius Lett m Maranda Barber - 2 sons

Daniel Lett, son of Randall and Matilda (Rollon) Lett, was born

Elizabeth Lett, daughter of Randall and Matilda (Rollon) Lett, was born

Jesse Lett, ~~son~~ of Randall and Sarah (Tyndall) Lett, was born January 30, 1799 in Georgia, and died June 17, 1857 in Wheatland, Knox Co., IN. He is buried in the Royal Oak Cemetery, Knox Co., IN.

Jesse married Priscilla Williams Alford, widow of Thomas Alford, on April 23, 1820 in Pike Co., IN. Priscilla was born March 22, 1797 in Indiana and died October 5, 1875 in Missouri. also bur at Royal Oak

Children of Jesse and Priscilla (Williams) (Alford) Lett:

i. daughter Lett, b. 1820 [data from 1820 Census]

ii. Thomas Newton Lett, b. June 7, 1821 Pike Co., IN., d. April 9, 1883 Liberty, Montgomery Co., KS, m. Lucinda ---, m(2) --, m(3) ---, m(4) ---, m(5) Condance Noble

iii. Randall Jackson Lett, b. April 21, 1823 Pike Co., IN., d. January 27, 1876, m. Mary ---

iv. Joseph Downs Lett, b. July 7, 1826 Pike Co., IN.

v. George Washington Lett, b. April 18, 1828 Indiana.

vi. Sarah Jane "Lilly" Lett, b. March 2, 1831 Indiana, d. April 10, 1889, m. Orasmus Fuquay.

vii. Jesse Williams Lett, b. May 19, 1833 Indiana, m. Susan Johnson.

viii. Samuel Tisdale Lett, b. July 27, 1835 Indiana.

ix. Benjamin Franklin Lett, b. December 15, 1837 Indiana.

x. Mary Emmaline Lett, b. December 15, 1837 Indiana.

Thomas Newton Lett, son of Jesse and Priscilla (Williams) (Alford) Lett, was born June 7, 1821 in Pike Co., IN., and died June 9, 1883 in Liberty, Montgomery Co., KS. He is buried on his farm in Montgomery Co., KS.

Thomas married Lucinda ---.

Thomas married secondly to ---.

Thomas married thirdly to ---.

Thomas married fourthly to ---

Thomas married fifthly to Condance Noble circa 1870 in either Missouri or Kansas. Condance was born circa 1842 in either Indiana or Missouri and died circa 1903 in Liberty, Montgomery Co., KS. She is buried in the Liberty Cemetery, Liberty, Montgomery Co., KS. She was a Cherokee Indian.

Thomas was a Confederate Veteran of the Civil War.

Children of Thomas Newton and Condance (Noble) Lett:

i. George Washington Lett, b. November 16, 1867 Missouri, d. November 21, 1939 Liberty, Montgomery Co., KS., m. Elizabeth Morgan.

ii. William Arthur Lett, b. June 21, 1873 Mound Valley, Labette Co., KS., d. May 9, 1952 Cherryvale, Montgomery Co., KS., m. Lydia Florence Lollar.

iii. Jessie Alen Lett, b. 1875 Liberty, Montgomery Co., KS., d. 1952 Coffeyville, Montgomery Co., KS., m. Mae or Mary ---, m(2) Ruth Brainerd.

iv. Harmon A. Lett, b. 1878 Liberty, Montgomery Co., KS., d. 1960.

v. Charles Inscoe Lett, b. 1880 Liberty, Montgomery Co., KS., d. 1943 Buffalo, KS., m. Lena Powell Martin.

vi. Hiram Matthew Lett, b. March 17, 1882 Liberty, Montgomery Co., KS., d. May 6, 1918 Cherryvale, Montgomery Co., KS., m. Lela Barker.

George Washington Lett, son of Thomas Newton and Condance (Noble) Lett, was born November 16, 1867 in Missouri and died November 21, 1939 in Liberty, Montgomery Co., KS. He is buried in the Liberty Cemetery, Liberty, Montgomery Co., KS.

George married Elizabeth Morgan. Elizabeth was born in 1873 and died in 1939.

Children of George and Elizabeth (Morgan) Lett:

i. Maggie Lett.

William Arthur Lett, son of Thomas Newton and Condance (Noble) Lett, was born June 21, 1873 in Montgomery Co., KS., and died May 9, 1952 in Cherryvale, Montgomery Co., KS. He is buried in the Liberty, Montgomery Co., KS.

William married Lydia Florence Lollar, daughter of Isaac John and Eliza Marinda (Guy) Lollar, on November 27, 1895 in Montgomery Co., KS. Lydia was born December 3, 1872 in Liberty Twp., Montgomery Co., KS., and died April 14, 1957 in Cherryvale, Montgomery Co., KS. She is buried in Liberty, Montgomery Co., KS.

Children of William Arthur and Lydia Florence (Lollar) Lett:

i. Glen Inscoe Lett, b. April 19, 1898 Liberty Twp., Montgomery Co., KS., d. January 1, 1965 Nebraska City, NE., m. Ruth Lena Hodge.

Glen Inscoe Lett, son of William Arthur and Lydia Florence (Lollar) Lett, was born April 19, 1898 in Liberty Twp., Montgomery Co., KS., and died January 1, 1965 in Nebraska City, NE. He is buried in Caney, Montgomery Co., KS.

Glen married Ruth Lena Hodge, daughter of Ozro Colin and Mary Jane (Anderson) Hodge, on November 3, 1918 in Cherryvale, Montgomery Co., KS. Ruth was born February 1, 1898 in Labette Co., KS., and died January 26, 1977 in Coffeyville, Montgomery Co., KS. She is buried in Caney, Montgomery Co., KS.

Children of Glen Inscoe and Ruth Lena (Hodge) Lett:

i. Avery Glenscoe Lett, b. January 7, 1922 Liberty, Montgomery Co., KS., m. Betty Jean Pence.

ii. Mary Jane Florence Lett, b. January 30, 1925 Coffeyville, Montgomery Co., KS., m. Donald LeRoy Kirby.

Avery Glenscoe Lett, son of Glen Inscoe and Ruth Lena (Hodge) Lett, was born January 7, 1922 in Liberty, Mongtomery Co., KS.

Avery married Betty Jean Pence on June 1, 1942 in Liberal, MO.

Children of Avery Glenscoe and Betty Jean (Pence) Lett:

i. Michael Lett
ii. Pamela Lett
iii. Mark Glen Lett
iv. LeeAnn Lett

Mary Jane Florence Lett, daughter of Glen Inscoe and Ruth Lena (Hodge) Lett, was born January 30, 1925 in Coffeyville, Montgomery Co., KS. She currently resides in Bella Vista, AR.

Mary married Donald LeRoy Kirby, son of Osbourn Eddy and Grace Dale (Gorrell) Kirby, on June 1, 1944 in Corpus Christi, Nueces Co., TX. Donald was born March 25, 1923 in Mitlonvale, KS.

Children of Donald LeRoy and Mary Jane Florence (Lett) Kirby:

i. Richard Leland Kirby, b. April 24, 1946 Long Beach, CA.

Jessie Alen Lett, son of Thomas Newton and Condance (Noble) Lett, was born 1875 in Liberty, Montgomery Co., KS., and died 1952 in Coffeyville, Montgomery Co., KS.

Jessie married Mae or Mary ---.

Jessie married secondly to Ruth Brainerd, a widow.

Harmon A. Lett, son of Thomas Newton and Condance (Noble) Lett, was born 1878 in Liberty, Montgomery Co., KS., and died in 1960.

Harmon married Ella Carll.

Charles Inscoe Lett, son of Thomas Newton and Condance (Noble) Lett, was born 1880 in Liberty, Montgomery Co., KS., and died 1943 in Buffalo, KS. He is buried in the Liberty Cemetery, Liberty, Montgomery Co., KS.

Charles married Lena Powell Martin.

Children of Charles Inscoe and Lena Powell (Martin) Lett:

i. Ralph Lett

ii. Charles Lett

iii. Claude Lett

iv. Maude Lett

Hiram Matthew Lett, son of Thomas Newton and Condance (Noble) Lett, was born March 17, 1882 in Liberty, Montgomery Co., KS., and died May 6, 1918 in Cherryvale, Montgomery Co., KS. He is buried in the Liberty Cemetery, Liberty, Montgomery Co., KS.

Hiram married Lela Barker.

Children of Hiram Matthew and Lela (Barker) Lett:

i. Earl Lett
ii. Theo Lett
iii. Klas Lett
iv. Jewell Lett
vi. Opal Lett
vii. Cleo Lett
viii. Ruby Lett

Randall Jackson Lett, son of Jesse and Priscilla (Williams) (Alford) Lett, was born April 21, 1823 in Pike Co., IN., and died January 27, 1876. He is buried in the Royal Oaks Cemetery, Knox Co., IN.

Randall married Mary. E. ---

Children of Randall Jackson and Mary E. (--) Lett:

i. Thomas Lett
ii. Priscilla Lett
iii. Marion Lett
iv. Nancy Lett
v. Orsan Lett
vi. Emma Lett
vii. Lenora Lett

Joseph Downs Lett, son of Jesse and Priscilla (Williams) (Alford) Lett, was born July 7, 1826 in Pike Co., IN.

George Washington Lett, son of Jesse and Priscilla (Williams) (Alford) Lett, was born April 18, 1828 in Indiana.

Sarah Jane "Lilly" Lett, daughter of Jessee and Priscilla (Williams) (Alford) Lett, was born March 2, 1831 in Indiana and died April 10, 1889.

Sarah married Orasmus Fuquay. on March 8, 1853 Orasmus b. 1/31/1833 d. 10/31/1866

Children of Orasmus and Sarah Jane "Lilly" (Lett) Fuquay:

i. Mary Fuquay b. Nov 28, 1853 d. Dec 16 1864

ii. Sarah Ellen Fuquay b. Aug 8, 1855 d. Dec 16 1913

iii. Benjamin Franklin Fuquay b. Apr 27, 1859 d. Mar 18 1930

iv. Emma May Fuquay b. June 25 1864

v. Lora Fuquay b. Aug 31 1868 m. Isam Murry

vi. Walter Fuquay b. Apr 7 1870 d Mar 20 1877

Jesse Williams Lett, son of Jesse and Priscilla (Williams) (Alford) Lett, was born May 19, 1833 in Indiana. d. Sep 26 1899
Jesse married Susan Johnson. Dec 3 1857 Susan b. [redacted] 2/18/1838 d. Apr 6 1872
Children of Jesse and Susan (Johnson) Lett:
i. Alvin Lett
ii. Carrie Lett

i. James Franklin Lett b. 9/2/1858 d. 1903
ii Alvin Lett b Apr 9 1861 d Dec 29 1932
iii Helen Lett b. Apr 24 1864 d. Oct 17 1865
iv Clara Bell Lett b. Dec 29 1866 d. Oct 2 1953
v. Edward Hamilton Lett Mar 2 1869 d Aug 12 18—
vi Carrie May Lett June 9 1871 d. Feb 19, 1956
vii Willard Arthur Lett b Apr 1 1872 d. Apr 2 1872

Ch:
i. Arthur Walter Lett m. Grace Nelva Hawkins
ii Alvin Lett

Ch:
i. Merrill Virgil Lett b. Apr 21 1922 Anita IA m. Catherine Joan Keast

Ch:
i. Sharon Lee Lett b. Jul 19 1950
ii Sheryl Lynn Lett b. May 30 1953
iii Sonda Louise Lett b. Apr 3 1956

ii Howard Eugene Lett b.
iii Kenneth Russell Lett
iv Arthur Hosea Lett b. 1918
v Mabel Grace Lett b. 1919 m — Hayter
vi Ralph James Lett b. 1920
vii — mem
viii Ethel Mae Lett b. 1924 — Sheets
ix Deorlene Lett b. 1927 — Smith
x Robert Dale Lett b

Samuel Tisdale Lett, son of Jesse and Priscilla (Williams) (Alford) Lett, was born July 27, 1835 in Indiana. bur Royal Oak

Ch:
i. John C. Lett Nov 18 1859 d Feb 16 1928 m. Elizabeth June Roby 4/19/1885
ii Madison Theodore Lett July 12 1862 d. 1942
iii William Ellsworth Lett Jan 10 1863 d 12, 1929
iv George Harmon Lett Sept 10 1866 ch: Bunnice Lett

Children

~~Robert Lett b 97~~
i. Charles Lett b. 8/6/1886 m Leafa Stanley Lee 1921
   a. Dorothy Jean Lett ~~d 1933~~ b 11/21/1923
ii. b. Samuel W. Lett b 3/6/1888 d 9/19/1917 bur Smyrna Cem Wheatland IN
iii. c. Ralph Lett b. 1897 m Marvel Staley 11/20/1920
   a. John Ellsworth Lett ~~b 4/15/1930~~
   b. Mary Margaret Lett b

i Elizabeth Lett
ii Jennie Lett

Continued Children of Samuel T Lett
v. Jesse Abraham Lett b. 10/15/1869 unmarried in Oregon
vi. Amanda Catherine Lett b 2/10/1872
vii Louis Eddie Lett b. Oct 29 187- d. 4/15/1888
viii Lillie May Lett b. 9/25/1876
ix Minnie Emmaline Lett b 7/14/1877
x. Lucy Jane Lett b 7/6/1880 d. Aug 24 1884
xi Dora Myrtle Lett b 2/8/1882 d 5/24/1884

Benjamin Franklin Lett, son of Jesse and Priscilla (Williams) (Alford) Lett, was born December 15, 1837 in Indiana.

m. Elizabeth Honeycutt 5/6/1859

Ch:

i. Thomas Freeman Lett b. 4/4/1860 d. 8/2/1860 bur Royal OAK

ii William Perry Lett b. 5/4/1862 d 7/15/1933 Wheatland bur Smyrna Cem

m. Eliza Martha Wetzel 11/14/1886

a. Bessie Lett b. 5/18/1887 d 3/13/1888

b. Harry Franklin Lett b. 3/23/1889 d 1942 m. Ethel Louise Bennett 7/16/1891

A. William Robert Lett b. 8/24/1917 Poseyville IN

c. Mayfair Lett b 2/15/1891 d 3/17/1897

2nd marriage of Wm Perry Lett to Mina Alvina Goldman 5/5/1923 Allison Prairie IL

2nd marriage of Benjamin Franklin Lett to Susannah Woods Kavanaugh 9/9/1866

Ch: Emma Lett b. 92/9/1870 Fort Scott KS d. 8/14/1930

m. Gordan Price Stephens 10/1884 Cooper Co MO 7 Kids

Charles Perry Stephens 8/10/1885

Myrtle Margaret " 4/1887

Lawrence Orville " 2/5/1890

Willis Anna " d. infancy

Stella Mae " 7/31/1894

Grayce Augusta " 9/14/1898

Bonnie Woods 11/1902

Mary Emmaline Lett, daughter of Jesse and Priscilla (Williams) (Alford) Lett, was born December 15, 1837 in Indiana.
m — Davis (Washington IN) buried Purdin MO

Matilda Lett, daughter of Randall and Sarah (Tyndall) Lett, was born June 23, 1801 in Georgia and died June 26, 1803 in Georgia.

Malinda Lett, daughter of Randall and Sarah (Tyndall) Lett, was born March 13, 1803 in Georgia.
Malinda married Elias Hays.
Malinda married secondly to Hiram Con. or Coun
Children of Elias and Malinda (Lett) Hays:
i. Zeke Hays
ii. Divan Hays
iii. Rhoda Hays
iv. Sarah Hays
Children of Hiram and Malinda (Lett) (Hays) Con:
v. Lora Con

Lucinda Lett, daughter of Randall and Sarah (Tyndall) Lett, was born March 8, 1805 in Kentucky and died 1882.
Lucinda married Coleman C. Horrell.
Lucinda married secondly to Alan Barber.
Children of Coleman C. and Lucinda (Lett) Horrell:
i. William Horrell
ii. Pleasant Horrell
iii. Priscilla Horrell
iv. Randall Horrell
Children of Alan and Lucinda (Lett) (Horrell) Barber:
v. Aurille Barber
vi. Whitfield Barber

Louisa Lett, daughter of Randall and Sarah (Tyndall) Lett, was born October 27, 1807 in Kentucky.

Louisa married Samuel Hollingsworth.

Children of Samuel and Louisa (Lett) Hollingsworth:

i. Marina Hollingsworth

John Asa Lett, son of Randall and Sarah (Tyndall) Lett, was born September 11, 1809 in Kentucky and died October 7, 1890 in Algiers, Pike Co., IN.

John married Mary Thomas on October 20, 1831 in Pike Co., IN.

John married secondly to Elizabeth Henderson.

John appears in 1850 & 1870 Census of Pike Co., IN.

Children of John Asa Lett:

i. Lewis Lett
ii. Isaac Lett, b. circa 1834 Indiana
iii. Minerva Lett
iv. Sylvester Lett, b. circa 1836 Indiana
v. Sanelda Lett
vi. Alvin Lett, b. circa 1843 Indiana
vii. John M. Lett, b. circa 1854 Indiana
viii. Samelda Lett
ix. James Lett, b. circa 1845 Indiana
x. Lorene Lett
xi. Lemila Lett (male), b. circa 1841 Indiana
xii. Sarah Lett, b. cirac 1848 Indiana
xiii. Randle Lett, b. circa 1847 Indiana
xiv. Harvey Lett, b. circa 1856 Indiana
xv. Ellen Lett, b. circa 1852 Indiana
xvi. Eva M. Lett, b. circa 1869 Indiana

Whitfield Lett, son of Randall and Sarah (Tyndall) Lett, was born September 11, 1811 in Kentucky.

Whitfield married Elizabeth ~~Postelwaite.~~ Halbert

Lourena Lett, daughter of Randall and Sarah (Tyndall) Lett,
was born October 16, 1813 in ~~Kentucky~~. Pike Co IN
Lourena married Jacob Cosby. son of Overton & Susannah (Heiser) Cosby.
of Mason Co KY

Ch:
1) W.S. Cosby (lived Evile IN)
2) — Cosby m. Arnold Pagett (lived Vincennes)

Cynthia

Sinia Lett, daubhter of Randall and Sarah (Tyndall) Lett, was born September 7, 1815 in Pike Co., IN., and died September 13, 1890 bur Aikman Creek Cemetery

Sinia married Leavn Ward.

Children of Leavn and Sinia (Lett) Ward:

i. Mary Ward m. Nathaniel Payne

ii. Martha Jane Ward m. Washington Akester

iii. Freeman Thomas Ward m. Harriett Josephine Colbert

Newton Lett, son of Randall and Sarah (Tyndall) Lett, was born January 10, 1817 in Pike Co., IN. Moved to Jennings Co
Newton married Mary Polly Deputy on March 13, 1837.
Children of Newton and Mary Polly (Deputy) Lett:
i. Allen W. Lett, b. January 17, 1838, d. January 16, 1918, m. Ellen Jane Higgens Mulvey

Allen W. Lett, son of Newton and Polly (Deputy) Lett, was born January 17, 1838 and died January 16, 1918.

Allen married Sarah Turner.

Allen married Ellen Jane Higgens Mulvey on January 3, 1883 in Newport, KY.

Children of Allen W. and Ellen Jane Higgens (Mulvey) Lett:

i. Asa Lett, b. November 24, 1885 Newport, KY., m. Gertrude June Thorpe.

Asa Lett, son of Allen W. and Ellen Jane Higgens (Mulvey) Lett, was born November 24, 1885 in Newport , KY.

Asa married Gertrude June Thorpe on August 4, 1903 in New York. Gertrude was born August 3, 1883 in Loustoft, England.

Children of Asa and Gertrude June (Thorpe) Lett:

i. Allen Thorpe Lett, b. July 5, 1904 Bellevue, KY., m. Bessie White.

Allen Thorpe Lett, son of Asa and Gertrude June (Thorpe) Lett, was born July 5, 1904 in Bellevue, KY.

Allen married Bessie White . Bessie was born April 11, 1900 in Amherst Co., VA.

Children of Allen Thorpe and Bessie (White) Lett:

i. Allen Downey Lett, b. September 24, 1928 Cincinnati, OH., m. Jacqueline Light.

Allen Downey Lett, son of Allen Thorpe and Bessie (White) Lett, was born September 24, 1928 in Cincinnati, OH.

Allen married Jacqueline Light, daughter of F. Clinton and Flora (Lang) Light, on August 12, 1950. Jacqueline was born June 16, 1929 in Cincinnati, OH.

Children of Allen Downey and Jacqueline (Light) Lett:

i. Allison Lett, b. Septmeber 6, 1958, m. J. Lee Rasmussen.

ii. Lucinda Lett, b. November 16, 1956, m. John Wesly Stewart III.

William Lett was born circa 1802 in Virginia and died 1874 in Campbell Co., TN. He appears in the 1840-1870 Census records of Campbell Co., TN.

William married Sarah Dagley, daughter of Joseph and Grace (---) Dagley, circa 1828 in Anderson or Campbell Co., TN. Sarah was born circa 1810 in Tennessee and died circa 1886 in Campbell Co., TN.

Children of William and Sarah (Dagley) Lett:

i. Joseph Lett, b. circa 1830 Campbell Co., TN, m. Sarah A. Miller

ii. Cynthia Lett, b. December 1831 Campbell Co., TN., d. January 6, 1914, m. Lewis F. Jones

iii. Melinda Lett, b. circa 1836 Campbell Co., TN., m. Crawford Housley

iv. Nancy L. Lett, b. circa 1837 Campbell Co., TN., d., September 3, 1887, m. Henry H. Snodderly

v. Martha Lett, b. crica 1840 Campbell Co., TN., m. Alfred Melton

vi. Eliza Louis Lett, b. circa 1842 Campbell Co., TN., m. Alvis Melton

vii. Sarah Lett, b. circa 1843 Campbell Co., TN, m. Samuel Robbins

viii. William Lett, b. circa 1844 Campbell Co., TN., d. September 22, 1912, m. Hester A. Green

ix. John R. Lett, b. March 1846 Campbell Co., TN., d. March 30, 1910, m. Sarah E. Smith

x. Minerva J. Lett, b. circa 1849 Campbell Co., TN.

xi. Louis M. Lett, b. circa 1851 Campbell Co., TN., d. 1921, m. Martha A. Woodson

Joseph Lett, son of William and Sarah (Dagley) Lett, was born circa 1830 in Campbell Co., TN. and died in Campbell Co., TN.

Joseph married Sarah A. Miller on October 28, 1864.

Joseph was a Civil War Veteran. Joseph lived in Campbell Co.,Tn. in 1870.

Cynthia Lett, daughter of William and Sarah (Dagley) Lett, was born December 1831 in Campbell Co., TN., and died January 6, 1914 in Union Co., TN.

Cynthia married Lewis F. Jones on September 5, 1858. Lewis died during the Civil War

Melinda Lett, daughter of William and Sarah (Dagley) Lett, was born circa 1836 in Campbell Co., TN. and died in Nodoway Co., MO.

Melinda married Crawford Housely on September 3, 1855 in Campbell Co., TN.

Nancy L. Lett, daughter of William and Sarah (Dagley) Lett, was born circa 1837 in Campbell Co., TN., and died September 3, 1887 in Nodoway Co., MO..

Nancy married Henry H. Snodderly on May 3, 1855 in Campbell Co., TN.

Martha Lett, daughter of William and Sarah (Dagley) Lett, was born circa 1840 in Campbell Co., TN., and died in Nodoway Co., MO.

Martha married Alfred Melton on November 6, 1859. Alfred was a Civil War Veteran.

Eliza Louis Lett, daughter of William and Sarah (Dagley) Lett, was born circa 1842 in Campbell Co., TN. and died in Nodoway Co., MO.

Eliza married Alvis Melton on September 5, 1862 in Campbell Co., TN. Alvis was a Civil War Veteran.

Sarah Lett, daughter of William and Sarah (Dagley) Lett, was born circa 1843 in Campbell Co., TN.

Sarah married Samuel Robbins on November 3, 1863 in Campbell Co., TN..

William Lett, son of William and Sarah (Dagley) Lett, was born circa 1844 in Campbell Co., TN., and died September 22, 1912 in Nodoway Co., MO. He is buried in the Oak Hill Cemetery, Polk Twp., Nodoway Co., MO.

William married Hester A. Green on October 17, 1863 in Campbell Co., TN..

William was a Civil War Veteran.

John R. Lett, son of William and Sarah (Dagley) Lett, was born March 1846 in Campbell Co., TN. and died March 30, 1910 in Los Angeles, CA. He is buried in Los Angeles CA.

John was a Civil War Veteran with the Union Army.

John married Sarah Ann Elizabeth Smith, daughter of Sidney and Mary Ann (McDaniel) Smith, on January 28, 1872 in Nodaway Co., MO. Sarah was born January 9, 1852 in Nodaway Co., MO., and died October 6, 1939 in Pueblo, CO. Sarah married seceondly to John J. Bradley on April 30, 1905.

John married secondly to Julia Overman on February 14, 1905.

Children of John R. and Sarah Ann Elizabeth (Smith) Lett:

i. Benjamin F. Lett, b. November 21, 1873 Nodaway Co., MO., d. September 2, 1874.

ii. James Sidney Lett, b. August 30, 1874 Nodaway Co., MO., d. November 24, 1938, m. Martha Johnson

iii. William Tecumseh Sherman Lett, b. January 23, 1880 Nodaway Co., MO., d. September 28, 1928, m. Anna Moultray

iv. John Wesley Lett, b. January 17, 1882 Nodaway Co., MO., d. October 23, 1918, m. Donnie Dove Mozingo

v. Louis Blaine Lett, b. May 18, 1884 Nodaway Co., MO., d. December 30, 1970, m. Anna Mary Groenke

vi. female Lett

vii. female Lett

Benjamin F. Lett, son of John R. and Sarah Ann Elizabeth (Smith) Lett, was born November 21, 1873 in Nodaway Co., MO., and died September 2, 1874 in Nodaway Co., MO. He is buried in the Groves Cemetery, Nodaway Co., MO.

James Sidney Lett, son of John R. and Sarah Ann Elizabeth (Smith) Lett, was born August 30, 1874 in Nodaway Co., MO., and died November 24, 1938 in Denver, CO. He is buried in the Crown Hill Cemetery, Denver, CO.

James married Martha Johnson in Denver, CO.

William Tecumseh Sherman Lett, son of John R. and Sarah Ann Elizabeth (Smith) Lett, was born January 23, 1880 in Nodaway Co., MO., and died September 28, 1928 in St. Joseph, Buchanan Co., MO. He is buried in the Mt. Auburn Cemetery, St. Joseph, MO..

William married Anna Moultray in St. Louis, MO.

John Wesley Lett, son of John R. and Sarah Ann Elizabeth (Smith) Lett, was born January 17, 1882 in Nodaway Co., MO., and died October 23, 1918 in Nodaway Co., MO..

John married Donnie Dove Mozingo on February 8, 1905 in Nodaway Co., MO.

Louis Blaine Lett, son of John R. and Sarah Ann Elizabeth (Smith) Lett, was born May 18, 1884 in Nodaway Co., MO. and died December 30, 1970 in Colorado Springs, Co. He is buried in the Mt. Auburn Cemetery, St. Joseph, MO.

Louis married Anna Marie Groenke, daughter of August and Augusta (Dudeck) Groenke, on February 10, 1909 in St. Joseph, Buchanan Co., MO. Anna was born July 23, 1888 in St. Joseph, Buchanan Co., MO., and died July 26, 1959 in St. Joseph, Buchanan Co., MO.

Children of Louis Blaine and Anna Marie (Groenke) Lett:

i. August John "Jack" Lett, b. March 20, 1910 St. Joseph, MO., d. May 13, 1986, m. Alice Catherine Lyon

ii. Norma Jean Lett, b. May 19, 1912 St. Joseph, MO.

iii. Ona Marie Lett, b. Septmber 9, 1914 St. Joseph, MO.

iv. Donald Lett, b. Decmeber 30, 1917 Fort Morgan, CO., d. January 8, 1918

v. Doris Dean Lett, b. February 19, 1919 Kansas City, KS., m. Vincent N. Kilkenny

vi. Duane Louis Lett, b. February 1, 1922 Helena , MO., d. September 22, 1932

vii. Loren Blaine Lett, b. June 13, 1924 Cosby, MO., m. Doris E. (Cox) Phillips

viii. Charles Orval Lett, b. November 2, 1926 Cosby, MO., m. Bula Rose Collins Gibson

ix. Anita Lett, b. October 11, 1928 St. Joseph, MO., d. October 11, 1928

x. Juanita Lett, b. October 11, 1928 St. Joseph, MO., d. October 11, 1928

xi. Eula Ann Lett, b. August 20, 1930 St. Joseph, MO.

August John "Jack" Lett, son of Louis Blaine and Anna Marie (Groenke) Lett, was born March 20, 1910 in St. Joseph, MO., and died May 13, 1986 in Durango, CO. He is buried in the Mt. Auburn Cemetery, St. Joseph, MO.

Jack married Alice Catherine Lyon on October 4, 1932 in St. Joseph, Buchanon Co., MO..

Norma Jean Lett, daughter of Louis Blaine and Anna Marie (Groenke) Lett, was born May 19, 1912 in St. Joseph, Buchanon Co., MO.

Ona Marie Lett, daughter of Louis Blaine and Anna Marie (Groenke) Lett, was born September 9, 1914 in St. Joseph, Buchanon Co., MO.

Donald Lett, son of Louis Blaine and Anna Marie (Groenke) Lett, was born December 30, 1917 in Fort Morgan, CO., and died January 8, 1918 in Fort Morgan, CO.

Doris Dean Lett, daughter of Louis Blaine and Anna Marie (Groenke) Lett, was born February 19, 1919 in Kansas City, KS.

Doris married Vincent N. Kilkenny on June 10, 1950 in St. Joseph, Buchanon Co., MO.

Duane Louis Lett, son of Louis Blaine and Anna Marie (Groenke) Lett, was born February 1, 1922 in Helena, MO., and died September 22, 1932 in St. Joseph, Buchanon Co., MO.

Loren Blaine Lett, son of Louis Blaine and Anna Mary (Groenke) Lett, was born June 13, 1924 in Cosby, Andrew Co., MO. and currently lives in St. Joseph, MO.

Loren married Doris Evelyn Cox, daughter of Edward K. and Bernice Clara (Agler) Cox, on November 6, 1964 in St. Joseph, Buchanan Co., MO. Evelyn was born on December 27, 1927 in Mount City, Holt Co., MO. She was previously married to Charles L. Phillips.

Children of Loren Blaine and Doris Evelyn (Cox) Lett:

i. Christine Ann Lett, b. January 3, 1969 St. Joseph, MO., d. January 3, 1969 St. Joseph MO.

Christine Ann Lett, daughter of Loren Blaine and Doris Evelyn (Cox) (Phillips) Lett, was born January 3, 1969 in St. Joseph, MO., and died January 3, 1969 in St. Joseph, MO.

Charles Orval Lett, son of Louis Blaine and Anna Marie (Groenke) Lett, was born November 2, 1926 in Cosby, MO.

Charles married Bula Rose Collins Gibson on January 27, 1960 in St. Joseph, Buchanan Co., MO.

Anita Lett, daughter of Louis Blaine and Anna Marie (Groenke) Lett, was born October 11, 1928 in St. Joseph, MO., and died October 11, 1928 in St. Joseph, MO.

Juanita Lett, daughter of Louis Blaine and Anna Marie (Groenke) Lett, was born October 11, 1928 in St. Joseph, MO., and died October 11, 1928 in St. Joseph, MO.

Eula Ann Lett, daughter of Louis Blaine and Anna Marie (Groenke) Lett, was born August 20, 1930 in St. Joseph, MO.

Minerva J. Lett, daughter of William and Sarah (Dagley) Lett, was born circa 1849 in Campbell Co., TN.

Louis M. Lett, son of William and Sarah (Dagley) Lett, was born circa 1851 in Campbell Co., TN., and died in 1921 in Union Co., TN..

Louis married Martha A. Woodson.